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# CONSTANTINOPLE SEIZED, BOSPHORUS UNDER GUNS

PRINCE AT SPRING HORSE SHOW.

The Prince of Wales visited the Spring Horse Show in London, and is here seen being introduced to some of the members.

## COPEMAN WILL HAVE TRIAL AT A HIGHER COURT

### Four Charges Hang Over Alleged Escaped Man From Burwash.

### STOLE CITY BOOTS

### Works Committee Property Found In Possession of Thomas Jamieson.

Wm. Copeman faced three charges of shopbreaking and theft, and one of escaping from Burwash Prison, when he appeared in police court this morning, after being remanded last week. The complainants against him were Louis Arron, Joseph Pilling, Daly & Bridges, and Samuel Ashworth. All the offences were stated to have been committed on the 28th and 29th of February—from Daly & Bridges' barber shop and poolroom, 470 Barton street east, a violet-ray machine, a pair of electric clippers, a pair of hand clippers and five razors; from Louis Arron, a suit of clothes and $5 or $6; from Sam Ashworth, a canvas cover and six boxes of chocolates, and from James Pilling, three dozen pairs of shoe laces and three dozen tins of shoe polish.

Plainclothesman Gillespie told of arresting Copeman. He also stated that the violet-ray machine had been recovered in the basement of a house at 167 Wood street east, and the rest of the Daly & Bridges stuff at Brantford. "He admitted he had been into Daly & Bridges', Arron's, Ashworth's and Pilling's places," testified the officer.

Copeman was committed for trial. It was stated that the prisoner was wanted on a like charge in Brantford.

Andrew Wilson (colored), the occupant of the house where the violet-ray machine was found, was charged of receiving the machine, knowing it to have been stolen from Daly & Bridges. Wilson swore he knew nothing about the machine which was found in the cellar of his home. He was discharged.

Thomas Jamieson, 204 Macaulay street east, faced a charge of having stolen four pairs of rubber boots, the property of the City Corporation. C. Pollington's testimony was that on the 16th of March, the four pairs of boots were missing from a store shanty, which had been forced open. "Last night I saw this man go into two pawn-shops with a sack over his shoulder. I investigated, and found that he had four pairs of rubber boots, marked with the Works Department stamp," said Constable Roughead.

"I found them in a sack near the Cannon street school," said the prisoner from the dock.

"Well, you're wise not to go into the box and swear to that, for you know it is not true," said His Worship, remanding Jamieson for one day for sentence. After finding him guilty. "And I think the constable should be commended for apprehending the prisoner."

Sergeant MacKay stated that Jamieson had already been found guilty on a charge of theft here, and was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

Two youths, Albert Searles, 80 Burton street, and Thomas Moore, 58 Birge avenue, were accused of stealing eight chickens, the property of John Kroes. On a request from Orville Walsh, acting for Searles, a remand of one day was granted. Bail was allowed at $50 cash.

Accused of being a vagrant, Mrs. May Johnson, who claims to come from Stratford, pleaded not guilty. Constable Buckett stated that the woman had been under observation for some time past, and, last night, was arrested in a Chinese shop, after she had been watched for some time. This evidence was corroborated by P. C. Williamson. Mrs. Johnson stated that she was married last September, and came here about a month ago with her husband, for a holiday. The husband appeared in court, and stated that he knew nothing of what his wife was accused of doing. A remand of a couple of days was ordered, until further investigations can be made.

A breach of the city by-laws was registered against the East End Market Company, in that they neglected to adequately protect an excavation at the corner of Barton and Ottawa streets. A representative stated that the fence had been blown down by the high wind on Saturday, and that another one was being erected. So the charge was dropped.

HOSPITAL RUGBY AT RICHMOND.

A Middlesex man, though well tackled, manages to make a successful pass. St. Barts met Middlesex in the Hospital Cup Competition.

MR. WILLIAM BANKS, SEN.,

Theatrical censor and veteran newspaperman, who died in Toronto, March 15.

## SHIP WRECKED, THIRTY MAY DIE

### British Steamer Breaks Up On Nfld. Coast.

### Crew Barred By Cliffs, is in Peril.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Halifax, N. S., March 17.—(By the Canadian Press)—The British steamer Tewkesbury, 2,740 tons, eastward bound from Hampton Roads, went ashore at 2.30 o'clock this morning, four miles northwest of Cape Pine, Nfld., according to information reaching the Naval Department here. Further advices state that the ship began to break up shortly after striking, and that the crew of approximately thirty men seized their one opportunity and took to the boats in an endeavor to find shelter at the base of the 200-foot cliffs which line the Newfoundland coast at this point. Disaster overtook the ship with such suddenness that it was impossible to render assistance, and it will be some hours, it is believed, before help arrives at the scene. At 2.30 a. m., the wireless operator aboard the Tewkesbury reported that the steamer was ashore, and at 3.07, thirty-seven minutes later, he reported that the crew had been forced to take to the boats, in an endeavor to land at Bay Last. The last word from the Tewkesbury, previous to her going ashore, was received at noon yesterday, when she asked for and received her position from the directional finding stations at Cape Race and Canso. Her position at that hour was forty-two miles south of St. Pierre, Miq.

## HOLD EX-KAISER

### Not Allowed Out Since German Upset.

(A. P. Special Cable.)

Amerongen, March 17.—Considerable excitement was caused here on Sunday by an attempt by a mysterious German woman to visit former Emperor William. She appeared at the gates of Bentinck Castle, but was denied admittance, and later had a conversation with the steward at the castle, leaving a bouquet of flowers for Count Hohenzollern.

There are rumors that her name was Kapp, which is the name of the Chancellor of the new German Government, but there is no confirmation of this report as yet.

The former Emperor is still engaged in sawing wood, and has not been permitted to leave the castle, even for a visit to Doorn, since Saturday.

### GARDEN CLUB

A meeting of the executive of the Garden Club of Hamilton will be held in the City Hall on Friday afternoon, at 5 o'clock, to consider the outlook for the year. At this meeting it will be decided if the club will carry on again, in view of the fact that it is not getting a civic grant.

### FATAL EXPLOSION.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Winnipeg, March 17. — William Howey, 50, was instantly killed yesterday when a compressed air tank exploded at the McIntyre Marble Works here. Two other men in the room had a miraculous escape.

## *Turk Capital Seized by the Ally Forces*

(A. P. Special Cable).

Constantinople, March 17.—Allied troops have occupied this city, and the great guns of the British dreadnaught Benbow and other giant Allied warships, moored to quays or anchored in the Golden Horn, command both sides of the Bosphorus. Every ship is cleared for action.

The actual arrival of Allied forces caused little alarm, nor were there any signs of panic, except in Stamboul. Shopkeepers near the War Office there closed their places of business when it was heard the Allies were coming, but the troops inspired confidence, and the stores were soon reopened.

All the Allied powers participated in the movement, being under orders from the British commander-in-chief here, the Italian contingent including detachments having Moslems on their rosters. Four thousand bluejackets and marines were landed by the British warships.

## FOR THE BLIND

### Great Movement On Foot In Their Interest.

Mr. E. F. Lambert, of Toronto, financial representative of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, is in the city at present, at the Royal Connaught. His visit to Hamilton is in connection with a campaign, country-wide, in the interest of the blind. He will endeavor to make a canvass for funds, and will be glad to meet, at the hotel, any who are interested in the work.

Canada has about 7,000 blind citizens. There are institutes for the education of blind children at Brantford and Halifax. Government supported, but for adults there is no sort of provision, and the objects of the Canadian National Institute are to prevent blindness and to make blind people, wherever possible, self-supporting, through education, vocational training and actual employment. For the year beginning April, 1920, the financial requirements amount to $235,000, of which $110,000 is for Ontario.

### MAP OF IRELAND

Some years ago the Times printed, on the 17th of March, a map of Ireland, which proved of great historic interest and value. Frequent requests for copies of the paper and for the republication of the map have come to the Times, and to-day we print, on another page, the original map, to meet these ever-recurring demands.

### ST. PATRICK'S DAY

The Times received, this morning, greetings from the Orphans of St. Joseph's school. It was a pewkiper in the shape of a Shamrock. The Times appreciates the reminder of St. Patrick's day.

## GREAT STORM TRAVELS SOUTH

### But Western Canada Has Not Yet Emerged.

### Four Freeze to Death in N. D. Blizzard.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Winnipeg, Man., March 17.—The storm which has crossed the Prairie Provinces since last Saturday has passed to the south, and is now playing havoc over the border. It has left in its trail considerable damage, but the full story cannot yet be told, as the west is still cut off from communication with Winnipeg. It is known that some of the Saskatchewan cities are still badly tied up from the effects of the blizzard. Between this city and Brandon some 900 telegraph poles are down on the Canadian Pacific Railway lines, and other services are in a sad condition.

FOUR DIE IN DAKOTA.

Bismarck, N. D., March 17.—The blizzard which has gripped North Dakota for two days, with a loss of at least four lives, is the worst since 1888, according to reports to the weather bureau. No freight trains were running in the state last night, and several passenger trains were reported stalled in the snow.

The four frozen to death were the small sons of Gus Wohlka, a farmer of near Rider.

### Irish Twist Tobacco

Genuine imported black Irish twist tobacco is sold in this city at pauze's cigar store. Irist Twist, 13 cents or two for 25 cents, at the headquarters, 90 James tsreet north.

PRINCE OF WALES AT ETON AND WINDSOR.

Here the Prince of Wales is seen with the Mayor outside Windsor Guildhall. Both the boys of Eton and the townspeople of Windsor gave H. R. H. a tremendous reception. The Prince received the freedom of the Royal borough on his appointment as High Steward.

# NOW FEAR SPARTACANS MORE THAN ROYALISTS

## Bloody Fighting, and Heavy Death List, in German Cities

## Von Kapp Has Decided Upon Resignation

Berlin, March 17.—It is officially announced that Chancellor Kapp at 1 o'clock this afternoon decided to resign.

London, March 17.—Independent Socialists and Communists in Germany have commenced a violent agitation in favor of a Soviet Republic and an alliance with Soviet Russia, according to a Berlin despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

Paris, March 17.—The news that came through during the night from Berlin and other German points, telling of sanguinary clashes at Essen, Dortmund, Leipsic, Mannheim, Frankfort and Brunswick, together with a report that a Council of Workmen had assumed power at Chemitz, has given the impression here that there is more to be feared from a revival of the Spartacan movement than from the activities of the Kapp Government in Berlin.

According to the latest despatches, the military movement has resulted in bloodshed in 24 German towns. The Spartacans are reported to have risen in Dresden, where a clash with troops is declared to have resulted in a casualty list of 100 dead and 300 wounded. Fighting in Breslau, Hamburg and Kiel also is reported.

BLOODY FIGHTING.

London, March 17.—Machine gun firing was heard in Berlin between 11 and 12 o'clock last night, says a message to the Exchange Telegraph today from the German capital.

During the day a detachment of soldiers passed through the Brunnenstrasse, headed by band playing "Heil Dir Im Kegerkranz." Workmen immediately charged the troops, and a skirmish ensued, in which a number of men were killed and others wounded, the message adds.

At Spandau 69 persons, nearly all workmen, were reported killed, and the fighting is continuing.

The correspondent reports that big trucks are constantly passing through the streets, loaded down with armed soldiers, who point their guns in the direction of the sidewalks.

The message reiterated the report that Field Marshal von Hindenburg had sent a telegram to Dr. Kapp, asking him to resign immediately in the event the old Government agreed to hold new elections.

HEAVY DEATH LIST.

Paris, March 17.—(Havas)—Fifty-nine persons have been killed and upwards of a hundred wounded in disorders at Troyes, in the American zone of occupation southwest of Coblenz, according to advices received here. Revised figures for the casualties in the fighting at Dresden are said to show that more than 100 were killed and 300 wounded.

Disorders were caused at Bonn yesterday, when a French military truck accidentally injured several persons while crossing a street, according to a Berlin despatch to the Journal. The miners in the Ruhr district of Germany are reported to be in the hands of the workmen favoring the Ebert Government.

AT HAMBURG, TOO.

Hamburg, March 17.—An encounter between Spartacans and troops resulted in casualties of ten killed.

Copenhagen, March 17.—Hamburg and its western suburb, Altonia, are now definitely in the hands of the followers of the Ebert Govenment, of Germany, according to a despatch to the Social Demokraten.

The demonstrators whose activities have resulted in clashes with Security Guards in Hamburg are apparently Spartacans, according to despatches from that city. In yesterday's hostilities the casualty list totalled 17 killed and wounded.

A despatch from Oldenburg says that at Wilhelmshaven all the officers of the garrison whose attitude was doubtful, namely, about 400, were arrested at noon on Tuesday.

SAID KAPP WOULD RETIRE.

Paris, March 17— (Havas) — Dr. Wolfgang Kapp, the new German Chancellor, and General von Luettwitz, his military lieutenant, have decided to retire from the direction of the German Governmental affairs unconditionally, according to a despatch received here from Frankfurt, quoting advices to the Gazette of that city. It is said this decision was reached after negotiations with independent socialists led by Dr. Cohn, in which the latter had threatened to attack the new Government forces with armed workmen.

A Wolff Bureau despatch from Berlin states Col. Bauer, confidential adviser of General Ludendorff, has been assassinated. The report, under orders received by Federal Health officers along the border to-day. The ban was established on Nov. 26th, on account of a serious outbreak of the disease in Toronto and other Ontario cities.

WALTER H. DAVIS

Present Inspector of Incomes and former City Auditor, who has been recommended by the Board of Control for appointment as City

## SMALLPOX BAN LIFTED

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Buffalo, N. Y., March 17.—The smallpox quarantine against Canada will be removed on Friday at midnight, under orders received by Federal Health officers along the border to-day. The ban was established on Nov. 26th, on account of a serious outbreak of the disease in Toronto and other Ontario cities.

## SEEK ROMAN JEWELS

### In Ancient Buried Cities In Spain.

(A. P. Special Cable.)

Madrid, March 17.—The newspapers are demanding of the Government credits for the commencement of excavations in the Province of Leon, to unearth Roman cities, which are believed to be buried there, and which tradition say contain great quantities of jewels and money and antiquities of great value. The newspapers desire that the task be assigned to experts, who would be capable of making a success of the undertaking.

The old Province of Leon was a mediaeval Kingdom soon after the invasion of Spain early in the tenth century by the Saracens. In 1037, it was united with Castile, but twenty years later the two became separated, only to join hands again in 1230.

### COL. HARBOTTLE DECLINES

Lieut.-Col. Colin Harbottle, C.M.G., D.S.O., formerly of Hamilton, and who was O. C. 75th Battalion in France and Belgium, has notified the military authorities that he cannot accept the position offered him recently as Officer Commanding the Mississauga Regiment.

### For the Sick and Convalescent

Ripe strawberries, King oranges, Florida oranges, naval oranges, bananas, mushrooms, Malaga grapes, head lettuce, spinach, sweet potatoes, radishes, cauliflower, new cabbage, new beets, new carrots, spring onions, maple syrup, white cream cheese, Old Chester cheese, Guava jelly, Tunis, Farde dates, Dromedary dates, Huntley and Palmer's biscuits, fresh cocoanuts. A. G. Bain & Co.

### Dye Your Straw Hat

It is easy to color your straw hat with Parke's straw hat dye. It is applied with a brush, goes on evenly, dries quickly, and will not wash off in the rain. It is made in all fashionable shades. One bottle is enough for a large hat. Price, 25 cents per bottle, with brush, at Parke & Parke, Limited, Market square.

When a woman weeps for joy it is generally the joy that comes to some other woman.

# MERRY TIME OVER HOUSING RESIGNATIONS

## Barton Council Appointed Two New Men to the Positions.

## FLOODING ALLEGED

### But Members Think Everything Was Frozen Hard at Time.

Charles Bird, Reeve of Barton Township, and the Building Inspector of the township enlivened matters at the meeting of the Council last night in the courthouse. Fred Hawes and Fred Baldoge, of the Barton Housing Commission, sent in their resignations and they were accepted. Mr. Bird did not seem to favor a housing commission, and said that he was afraid the contractors were paid for contracts before their work was finished and then they had a chance to leave the commission in the lurch. The Building Inspector took exception to this remark, and asked Mr. Bird to point out one case where this had been done, or take back his remark and apologize. The Reeve did not like the tone in which this was said and told the inspector to sit down. The inspector went on talking and was threatened with ejection. The talk still continued and Mr. Bird had to threaten to clear the room.

A. W. Broughton and J. Chappel were chosen to take the places of the two men who resigned.

A lawyer's letter was read, threatening action against the township unless it improved conditions so there would be no flooding. Eight names were included in the letter and each of the eight residents threatened suit for $1,000. They stated that the cellars of their homes had been practically ruined by the water coming in, and the health of their families suffered because of the damp conditions. The houses are on Hope avenue and on several streets near that avenue.

The Council did not take any action, they said that the complaint came about February 2, when all the ground was frozen and the weather so cold that there could not be flooding. They will fight the suit if one is brought.

The tender of the Sawyer-Massey Co. for a drill for $450 was accepted.

The salary of the road superintendent, W. A. Taylor, for the year will be $1,650.

The reeve and treasurer of Barton were appointed to go to Toronto tomorrow with the township solicitor, for the same nation tomorrow, between the city and township regarding Homeside.

One thousand copies of the fire by-law will be printed for distribution among the residents of Barton.

Fire Chief Moore will be instructed to have a telephone put in his house and his bills will be paid by the township.

A resident of Barton, Mr. Vaughn, waited on the council, and asked them to bear the expense of sending his wife to the hospital for a week. He had stated that and could not bear the expense. It was decided that the township bear the expense. C. Bird stated that the township would need to be careful in spending money in this way, for he understood relief this year would cost the township $6,000.

The report of the committee to the Good Roads Convention in Toronto some weeks ago will be rut in the records.

No action was taken on the request of A. W. Broughton, that the township offices be moved from the court house as soon as the present lease expires. Mr. Broughten said that the offices were unhealthy, as could be seen by the poor health of those who worked in them.

The council will get the estimate of grading the road and laying sidewalks on Province street, Overdeen survey, from Main to Central avenues.

The members were read asking that road improvements be made on Wycliffe avenue from Searle to Belvedere avenue, and on Roscfene from upper James street to Belvedere avenue. The council will ask for estimates.

# PARTIES IN CAUCUS

## Unionists Economical On Navy Just Now.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Ottawa, March 16.—(By the Canadian Press.)—With supporters of both the Government and Opposition in caucus this morning, the lobbies and corridors of the Parliament Buildings are almost deserted. There is stated to be a full attendance at each of the conferences.

The Government supporters met in the reading room at 10 o'clock, under the chairmanship of J. E. Armstrong, York.

The Liberals are said to be devoting their attention to both the naval measures and the franchise bill.

There are some absentees from the Government caucus, owing to the fact that the twenty odd members who made the trip with Mr. R. W. Wigmore to St. John on Friday, have not yet reached the city. They are expected to return home this afternoon.

The Jellicoe report on Canada's naval policy was under discussion at this morning's caucus of Government members. Hon. George Foster subsequently announced that the opinion of the caucus had been taken on the question of naval policy, and the majority had expressed an opinion along certain lines. But what those lines were, Sir George declined to state.

It is understood, however, that the majority view was opposed to any great enlargement of the naval policy this year.

PROV. TREASURER DENIES.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Toronto, March 16.—Hon. Peter Smith, Provincial Treasurer, to-day denied a report, appearing in an evening paper yesterday, to the effect that R. J. Harding, a former partner of H. H. Dewart, had been appointed solicitor to the Treasury, to investigate returns of estates. He said that Mr. Harding had been retained temporarily to investigate the estate of the late Hon. W. J. Hanna.

# TEA TABLE GOSSIP

—We have a beautiful line of Easter cards and booklets this year, and the prices are very moderate. Cloke & Son, 16 West King street.

4.05 yesterday afternoon, a small fire, resultant from a defective gas plate, broke out in a brick dwelling at 668 Barton street east. The damage done was very small.

—Last night C. P. Morden, 323 Aberdeen avenue, reported that his automobile, a Briscoe, had been stolen from the corner of King and Catharine streets. The police think it was taken by some joy riders.

—Members of the executive members of the 3rd Canadian Machine Gun Brigade are requested to be at the Armouries to-night at 8 o'clock, to select a basketball team to play the Brantford company on Thursday evening.

—Slight damage was done to the contents of a frame barn, in the rear of 166 Victoria avenue north, by fire which broke out last evening at eight o'clock. The building was owned by Bodgson and Dodson.

—A short meeting of the Police Commissioners was held to-day for the purpose of considering some tenders for some uniforms worn at the Central Police Station. The contract was awarded to Sparks & McKay, whose tender amounted to $984.

—Mrs. Muriel Hunt, of this city, was arrested in Cleveland last night, on a charge of false pretences, preferred by J. George Wegenast, insurance agent, Bank of Hamilton Building. It is believed that she will be brought back to this city for trial.

—Local barbers held a meeting in the A. O. F. hall last night. Matters pertaining to their organization, and the wage question were discussed, but no business of a definite nature was transacted.

—Several interruptions in the Hydro service occurred last last night, owing to the burning out of some oil switch boxes in the Dundurn street substation. Of delicate mechanism these devices are said to be difficult of repair in an emergency, and for that reason the trouble was not remedied until to-day.

# MANY SLAIN IN GERMAN FIGHTING

## Thirty Killed in Hamburg, Several in Leipsic.

## Soviet Republic at Hof, Bavaria.

(A. P. Special Cable.)

Amsterdam, March 16.—A despatch to the Handelsblad from Berlin today says that a Soviet republic has been proclaimed at Hof, Bavaria.

(Hof is in Northeastern Bavaria, 20 miles northeast of Bayreuth. It has a population of about 35,000.)

Copenhagen, March 16.—Thirty persons were killed, including some women and children, yesterday, in fighting in Hamburg between citizens, guards and Baltic troops, advices from that city state.

Among the killed was Captain Berchtold, commanding the Baltic troops.

The Hamburg advices report the resignation last night of Baron von Wedel-Jarlsberg, the senior surrogate officer there. Herr Lampiar, a supporter of the Ebert Government, succeeded him.

A Munich telegram received here by way of Berlin, says that quiet now prevails at Munich, and that the troops are masters of the situation. A new Cabinet is being formed. The gas plants, the waterworks, the postal service and the railways are declared to be working normally. It was expected that the tramway service would be partially resumed shortly, it was added.

NEW MUNICH GOVERNMENT.

London, March 16.—A new Government was formed at Munich, Bavaria, yesterday, composed of Democrats and the Centre Party, according to a Copenhagen despatch to the Central News. The new Government will meet to-day, the dispatch says.

MORE KILLED IN LEIPSIC

Berlin, March 16.—Fighting occurred again yesterday afternoon in various parts of Leipsic, especially near the general post office, and a number of persons were killed or wounded, a despatch from Leipsic says.

The middle of the town has been entirely cordoned off by troops, the despatch adds.

BERLIN WORKERS ANGERED.

London, March 16.—The working classes are much excited against the Kapp Administration as a consequence of its shooting of a young girl in the South Berlin railway station and the killing of four persons in the North Berlin industrial section, by guards, according to a Berlin despatch to the Evening News.

OVER 20 AT LEIPSIC.

London, March 16.—During a demonstration at Leipsic yesterday, troops fired on a crowd, killing more than twenty persons, and wounding about sixty, says the Copenhagen correspondent of the Central News.

Reports received in Copenhagen, the correspondent adds, state that fighting continues in many parts of Germany.

COMPROMISED PROPOSALS

Copenhagen, March 16.—The executive committee of the Centre party has adopted a resolution demanding Chancellor Kapp and his associates as criminals and traitors, according to a Berlin despatch to the Politiken. Chancellor Kapp says that General Merker has proceeded to Stuttgart, seat of the Ebert Government, with the Chancellor's compromise proposals, the despatch says.

91ST PARADE

The regiment will parade on Wednesday, March 17, at 8 p.m. Dress, Mufti, with the exception of pipe and brass bands, who will parade in drill order with kilts. Syllabus: "A" Company will have the use of indoor rifle range, for company spoon shoot. "D" Company will have the use of lecture room. "B" and "C" Companies will parade as many men as possible to the orderly room, to be sworn in. Company quartermaster-sergeants will report at quartermaster stores on Wednesday evening, to draw Webb equipment for their company.

# DOLLAR AN HOUR OR EVEN HIGHER

## Is What Building Trades Men Aim At.

## Say High Prices Will Not Stop Building.

That all members of trades connected with the Building Trades Council, which comprises carpenters, plasterers, lathers, stone cutters, etc., will be asking for substantial increases of wages, bringing their wages over one dollar an hour, was the statement made this morning by Sam Lawrence, business agent of the Building Trades in this city and district. The council has been working on the wage schedules for some time and it is expected that employers will get a rude jolt when they see the demands. They will likely be presented within a month.

Mr. Lawrence stated that the stone cutters got that schedule bringing their wages over one dollar an hour, some time ago and there was no reason why the other trades should not get the same wages and he expected them to get it.

When asked if he thought that if the building trades men got the wages they will ask for that it would have an effect of stopping the building of houses this year, Mr. Lawrence said that he was sure that it would not as houses were needed and were being built rapidly, and even the high price of materials and increased wages would not stop the building.

H. Arnold, building inspector of Barton, stated this morning that building would be exceptionally brisk all the spring and summer.

# CANADA FIRST

## Provincial I.O.D.E. Makes a Good Start.

It is worthy of note that the first official communication of the executive of the newly-formed Ontario Provincial Chapter, I. O. D. E., contained an urgent appeal to all Daughters of the Empire to demonstrate their patriotism in an active manner, by purchase and use only "Made-in-Canada" goods. The organization meeting of this chapter was held in this city on February 5th. Hamilton having been chosen the headquarters, and Mrs. Harry F. Burkholder the Regent. The majority of officers are also Hamilton women. The first communication issued has just been sent out to all the municipal and primary chapters of Ontario, and contains, besides the business matters relative to the chapter, this very strong plea. Mrs. Burkholder was present at the annual meeting of the Hamilton Municipal Chapter yesterday, and emphasized the need for thrift, especially in this regard. Mrs. Griffin, Municipal Regent, also urged that stress be laid on economies at the various chapter meetings.

# DRAFTSMEN NEXT

## Will Organize and Seek More Pay.

The intention of the local draftsmen to follow the lead of their brother craftsmen in Toronto and organize immediately is reported in labor circles this morning. This profession is said to be one of the poorest paid in the city, and it is expected organization will be of certain benefit. Tuesday night, H. Wren will hold a meeting of the draftsmen on the earliest date the labor hall is available.

# HYDRO AND D.P.

## Chairman Tope Failed to Find Out Much.

Just what progress the Provincial Hydro Commission has made in its negotiations with the D. P. & T. Co., for the purchase of the latter's holdings, is a secret which Col. John Tope believes is being jealously guarded.

While in Toronto yesterday the aldermen conferred with F. A. Gaby, chief Hydro engineer, and endeavored to learn from him if there was any likelihood of the Hydro purchasing at a no distant date the Hamilton Street Railway. As chairman of the Civic Street Railway Committee, Ald. Tope felt that such information was of the utmost importance if the committee was to be expected to demand improvements in the car service by the council.

Mr. Gaby had no more to say than an oyster. With Sir Adam Beck not present, Mr. Gaby declined to commit himself at all, but intimated that nothing further would be done in the matter until William Hawkins, of the D. P. & T. Co., was back at his desk.

"We can't do much without Mr. Hawkins. He is the big noise in this matter," is the concluding statement Engineer Gaby was credited with having made.

# WILL MEET HERE

## Deep Waterways Commission Next June.

Word was received this morning by Captain George Guy from Major Alex. C. Lewis, Secretary-Treasurer of the International Deep Waterways Association, that it has been finally decided that the International joint commission of the Deep Waterways and Power Association, will meet in Hamilton on June 2nd. This is in acceptance of Controller Jutten's request at the conference held in Buffalo on March 1st and 2nd that Hamilton should be one of the many points at which this commission should convene. The commission's work will be to secure data for formal presentation to Parliament of a request for the canalization of the St. Lawrence River and the utilizing of its resources for power. The sitting is not expected to last more than two days.

# SOCIETY

The monthly meeting of the Hamilton Women's Liberal Association will be held in the Y.M.C.A. board room, on Thursday, March 18th, at 3.30 p.m. This will be the last meeting before the annual and all members are asked to be present. Rev. A. J. Barnard will speak.

SAG-AM DANCE.

The Sag-Am Club dance to be held at the popular "Alex" to-morrow night, is certainly predicted to be one of the biggest affairs of the season. The preparations have been elaborate, and the unusual feature of two orchestras playing continuous music is an innovation. There has been a heavy sale of tickets, and it will, of course, be observed accordingly on the day, and all feature decorations suitable to the glorious "Sivinteenth." A committee in charge of arrangements has promised an exceptionally fine affair.

IF YOU ARE THINKING OF
FURS
GO TO
GLASSCO'S
23 KING STREET EAST

# ROYAL TEMPLAR HEAD COUNCIL

## Biennial Session of Dominion Body Opened.

## Reports of a Highly Gratifying Nature.

The Dominion Council of the Royal Templars of Temperance is meeting in biennial session in the Royal Templar Building, this city, which is the headquarters for Canada. Delegates began arriving last night from Manitoba, British Columbia and Quebec. The first session began at 10 o'clock this morning, and very gratifying reports were received from the officers. The report of the inspector of insurance showed that the funds of the insurance department were in good state, showing that the insurance department is considerably over one hundred per cent. solvent.

Rev. W. P. Fletcher, Dominion councillor, presided, and, in his address welcomed the delegates to the convention. "Unless there are temperance organizations," he said, "keeping up the educational work, we may find that the pendulum swings too far. The verdict of men in all walks in life is that our land should be free from the blight of strong drink. We must carry this information right into the ranks of the liquor forces."

Dr. C. V. Emory presented his report, which showed the finances to be in excellent condition. The names of the members who gave their lives in the war were read, with all members standing.

Reports were received from the medical director, Dr. Wm. Crawford, and the superintendent of medal contests, Percy A. North.

The meeting adjourned at 12 o'clock for lunch at the Royal Connaught. To-morrow a site for the new Temple will be decided on. Tuesday will be rendered the visiting delegates by Hamilton District Council.

# BABIES' DISPENSARY

## May Have New Clinic Near the Hospital.

The Executive Committee of the Babies' Dispensary Guild would like to have the site for its new proposed clinic located on Euclid avenue, or at right point as contiguous to the General Hospital as possible.

A conference over this matter was held yesterday, when Mr. Champ and Murray Lottridge met members of the Board of Hospital Governors, and advised them that the guild had purchased a site farther north on Victoria avenue, on which it was proposed to erect a dispensary. On second thought, however, it was felt that the interests of the guild would be best served by having the dispensary nearer to the hospital—on Euclid avenue, if possible. Mr. Pratt promised to give the matter consideration.

# 'PEG STRIKE TRIAL

## Crown Closes a Three Day Address.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Winnipeg, March 16.—With an eloquent peroration, in which he stated that it was deplorable that, at a time when people had settled to the tasks of building up Canada after the war, and making it one of the greatest countries in the world, the action of their confederates should engage in a seditious conspiracy to pull down everything, A. J. Andrews, K. C., closed his three-day address to the jury last night.

Mr. Andrews made it clear that the Crown had no quarrel with organized labor. The Crown said that everything that could be constitutionally done under these conditions in this country ought to be done, but it also said no changes could be brought about in this country by illegal means, by illegal organizations, by conspiracies, strikes, or threats of strikes or by intimidation.

To-day W. H. Trueman, K. C., will deliver the first of the seven addresses for the defence in the state trial which has been in progress for about two months. He speaks for Alderman Heaps.

NEW FINNISH CABINET.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Washington, March 16.—The personnel of the new Finnish Cabinet, is announced at the Finish Legislation there, member of the National Coalition party.

# WILL NEVER ACT WITH A GERMAN

## Why Veteran McGill Professor Resigned.

## Dr. Elder Was a Canadian Officer.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Montreal, March 16.—The reason for Dr. Elder's resignation from the teaching staff of McGill University, after thirty years' service, is stated in his letter of resignation, which reads as follows:

"I herewith tender my resignation as assistant professor of surgery in the university. I do so because your board has recently seen fit to appoint a man of German birth, parentage and pre'mainary training to the position of professor of pathology.

"It is with deep regret that I thus sever a long connection with the teaching staff of my Alma Mater, but I feel that never again can I associate with a colleague of German birth and parentage."

(Signed) "J. M. Elder."

Efforts were made by the university authorities to induce Dr. Elder to reconsider his resignation, but without avail, and it was therefore accepted. At a meeting of the Board of Governors it was decided that Dr. Elder's letter left them no option but to accept the resignation.

Dr. Elder was a colonel in the Canadian army and served in France.

# MANY KILLED IN BERLIN FIGHTS

(A. P. Special Cable.)

Berlin, March 16.—Fifteen persons are reported to have been killed and many wounded in fighting yesterday at Steglitz, in the southwest outskirts of Berlin.

At Charlottenburg, a western suburb of Berlin, fifteen persons are said to have been killed and six wounded as a result of collisions.

# POUND STERLING GOES UP 4 CENTS

(Canadian Press Wire.)

New York, March 16.—Rates on demand bills for the English pound sterling opened here to-day at $3.69 1-4—or four cents above yesterday's close. Foreign exchange generally showed a firm tendency, franc checks being quoted at the rate of 13.42 for the dollar, and lire at 18.27 for the dollar. Marks were sold at 1.30 each, or 18.50 of a cent above yesterday's final prices. The discount on Canadian money was 11 1-2 per cent.

# LUDENDORFF IN KAPP'S COUNCIL

(A. P. Special Cable.)

London, March 16—The new Government at Berlin held a Cabinet Council last night, which was attended by General Ludendorff, according to a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph from the German capital, by way of Amsterdam.

# WINDOW ROBBERS

## Seem to Have Transferred to Brantford.

This morning the local authorities received a report from Brantford that Fox's jewelry establishment in that city had been robbed of a large amount of jewelry, by thieves who heaved a brick through the window about 4 o'clock this morning. It is thought that the deed was perpetrated by the same ones who did the trick here in Hamilton, at Connor Brothers' shop on Locke street, and A. H. Mann's store on James street north, last week.

# SLICK CHINESE

## Got Away With Second Roll of Cloth.

Last evening, Charles F. Loosley, tailor, 20 King William street, reported to the police that a roll of cloth had been stolen from his shop yesterday afternoon. He missed the cloth after two Chinese had visited his store. The goods were valued at $32. This is the second occurrence of this same kind in three or four days. Harry Lewis, James street north, having reported that on Saturday two Chinese entered his store, and one of them attempted to carry off a piece of cloth under his coat. Mr. Lewis, however, recovered the cloth, and allowed the Chinese to go.

# LABOR TEMPLE

## The Promoters Have $10,860 Clear Now.

The annual statement of the Labor Temple Company for the year 1919 shows a marked increase in the shares taken in the Temple. The directors and Trades and Labor Council having each taken out 1,000 shares in addition to those they already held, and many new share holders have been added to the list not representing very large amounts, but meaning many more boosters. Two changes in the personnel of the board of directors have occurred. Messrs W. R. Hewitt and James Penfield having left the city the vacancies have been filled by Messrs. H. W. West and A. F. Hurst. The total assets total $10,860.86 over all liabilities.

# OBITUARY

## Wife of Mr. David Gowrie Died Last Night.

MRS. DAVID GOWRIE — At her residence, 297 Bold street, Elizabeth Kennedy Scott Gowrie, wife of Mr. David Gowrie passed away last evening, after a lingering illness, aged 62 years. Deceased was born in Alliston, and had been a resident of this city for 25 years. She was a member of the Bristol Presbyterian Church. Besides her husband, she leaves two sisters, Mrs. Matilda Black, Toronto and Miss Caroline Scott, of Alliston. Funeral on Wednesday at 3 o'clock. The body will be sent via G.T.R. 9.30 a.m. on Thursday to Alliston.

MRS. TENNANT — The many friends in this city of Mrs. Elizabeth Tennant, who for several years was matron of the Girls' Home here, will regret her death, in her seventy-fourth year, after a long illness, at the home of her brother, J. Addison, St. George. She leaves her brother, Dr. Addison and two sisters, Mrs. James Gray, Sen., Preston, and Mrs. E. H. Robson, St. George.

MRS. MACPHERSON—A highly respected and esteemed citizen, passed away at her late residence, 246 Hughson avenue north, in the person of Sarah Stewart MacPherson, widow of the late Donald MacPherson, in her 82nd year. Deceased, who was born in Scotland, had resided in this city for the past 12 years. She was a member of Westminster Presbyterian Church, where her demise will be greatly felt. The survivors are six sons, four daughters, Malcolm, Dougald, Alexander, Hugh and Duncan Macmartin, of this city; and Donald Macmartin, of Detroit; Mrs. William Campbell, of Scotland, Mrs. Clarence Bowman, of Hamilton, Misses Jean and Catharine MacMartin, at home. The funeral will take place from her late residence on Thursday at 2 p.m. to Hamilton cemetery.

DAVID H. STORMS.—The many friends of Dr. T. H. D. and Mrs. Storms, of 53 Bay street south, will regret the death of their youngest son, David Harold Storms, which occurred this morning, aged two weeks. The funeral will take place privately.

R. H. TALBOTT.—Richard Harold Talbott, 165 Park Row avenue, passed away in this city early this morning, after an illness of two weeks, aged 41 years. Deceased was born in Newton Heath, Manchester, England, and had been a resident of this city for seven years. He was an adherent of St. Andrew's Church, and a member of the Society of Engineers. His widow, one daughter, Annie, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Talbott, one brother and his three sisters, survive. Funeral from the residence of Mr. James Watts, 41 Fairview avenue, on Thursday, at 2 o'clock.

MISS FEAVER—Miss Eliza Feaver, eldest daughter of the late Thomas Feaver, died very suddenly at her late residence, 223 Bay street north, yesterday. Miss Feaver was born in this city, and had resided here all her life, and was well known and highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends. She leaves three sisters and four brothers. The funeral will take place from Lodge's and Albright's chapel, on Wednesday, at 2.30, to Hamilton Cemetery.

LEVI LANE—Mr. Levi Lane died very suddenly at his home, 240 Charlton avenue west, last evening. Deceased was in good health and attended to his usual duties during the day. In the evening he complained of pains in his chest, and suddenly collapsed. Deceased was born in Lincoln County, and had been an esteemed resident of Hamilton for the last twenty-seven years, and for the last eight years had been engaged in the express business. Surviving him are his wife and three daughters, Mrs. John Kincel, of Detroit; Mrs. Harry Yates and Mrs. Robert Pasel, of this city; also his aged parents, residing at Silverdale; two brothers and one sister.

The funeral of Elizabeth Burgess, wife of Harold Hanpau, took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 389 York street. Rev. H. Rembe conducted the services. Many choice floral offerings were contributed by Mrs. Hanpau's friends, were: Messrs. R. Clark, J. and C. Smith, A. Murdock, J. Schrader and A. Hutchison.

The funeral of Charles Walter Tresidder, infant son of Charles Wm. and the late Mrs. Tresidder, 82 Cedar avenue, took place yesterday afternoon from J. H. Robinson & Co.'s chapel. Rev. P. W. Philpott officiated.

The funeral of Charles Francis Drake took place yesterday afternoon from 120 Gibson avenue. Rev. W. L. Will man officiated. The pallbearers were A. Beckworth, N. G. J. Kaufman, J. V. G. Willett, P. C. Ball, Excelsior Lodge, I. O. O. F., H. Montgomery, M. Stewart and Mr. Lindon, of the Street Railway Company. The many floral offerings showed the high esteem in which the deceased was held.

The funeral of Mrs. William Marr was held yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 119 Cavell avenue, to Hamilton Cemetery. The pallbearers were Walter Rowlingson, John Newlands, David Pilkey, Archie Turcott, Ed. Pitcher and Archie Gray. Rev. J. A. Wilson officiated.

The funeral of Clara Bell Hopkins, wife of Hopkins, took place from her late residence, 23 Crooks street yesterday, to Hamilton cemetery. Rev. Dr. Cosgrave officiated, and the pallbearers were Richard Atkinson, C. McFarland, S. Baker, W. Warnke, R. Hopkins and Mr. Gardner.

The funeral of Archibald Jarvis took place from his late residence, Barton street, yesterday, to Hamilton cemetery. Rev. W. A. McIlroy officiated. The pallbearers were W. Marshall, F. Stewart, A. Glover, C. Jarvis, J. Walker and R. Hunter. There was a very large attendance and the floral tributes were numerous and beautiful.

The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Mahoney, whose death occurred in Chicago, took place this morning from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Coyne, 76 Steven street to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Holy Sepulchre cemetery. Rev. Father Mulvale officiated at the church, and Rev. Father Kirby at the cemetery. The pallbearers were P. Maloney, James, John and Patrick Burke, James Gillen and Robert Fipple.

The funeral of Frank Cristo, who was killed on Sunday at the Steel Co. of Canada, took place this morning from his late residence, 78 Brock street to St. Mary's Cathedral. High grand mass was celebrated. Rev. Father Bonomi being celibrant. Rev. Father McGowell, deacon, and Rev. Father O'Sullivan, sub-deacon. Interment took place at Holy Sepulchre cemetery. Six relatives were pallbearers.

# TO DINE TOGETHER

## Board of Trade and Manufacturers' Committee.

A dinner has been arranged for the Executive Council of the Board of Trade for 6.15, Thursday evening, in the Royal Connaught, when the members will meet the Executive of the Manufacturers Association and confer with them in respect to the proposed centralization of the Board. Mr. W. J. Donald, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, of Niagara Falls, New York, will be the speaker. It is thought that some definite decision will be arrived at in regard to the engaging of the services of the Canadian City Bureau.

# NEW INDUSTRIES

## Hamilton is Dubious About London's Claims.

According to reports which are sent out from London from time to time, London is going to be the central industrial centre in Canada. A report appeared in the morning papers that the Canadian Gardley-Wesner Company, of Detroit, manufacturers of metal plating, would locate in the Forest City and expected to break ground within a few days for the erection of a large factory that would provide work for at least 500 employees, and so on and so forth.

But as a matter of fact, Hamilton's live-wire industrial commissioner has had his eyes on this industry for several months and is seeing to it that Hamilton is not being overlooked. Mr. Kirkpatrick received a letter only yesterday from the president of the company, that it was not going to locate in any Canadian city this year, but might do so at a later time, and when conditions warranted such a move, Hamilton could rest assured that it would be given every consideration in the matter.

London has also announced, not infrequently, that ground had been broken for a large factory, the Republic Motor Company, of Alma, Mich., would erect there. Strange to say, the company was not laid one brick on another in London yet.

"Looks like somebody's talking up there" was Ald. John Tope's terse assertion.

# MERRICK STREET

## Joint Committee Deals With Subject To-night.

The proposed scheme for increasing the width of Merrick street to 66 feet will be considered again to-night by the special sub-committee which was appointed to take the matter in hand. The report of this sub-committee will confer with representatives of the city and property committees respecting all phases of the matter, and the decisions will be urged as The Arcade, Limited, is very anxious to proceed with the improvement at the earliest date. Members of the sub-committee have gone on record as favoring the scheme, but realize that there are several phases of the matter involving City Works and the Property committee which must be settled first. Assessment considerations will also be held to-night with reference to the offer of the Steel Company of Canada to purchase from the City Parks Board, land to the east of its large plant. The company has offered $2,000 per acre for the property. Several city officials expressed themselves to-day as feeling that the price offered was too low.

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## Huron County Woman Claims Strange Power.

## Could Aid Location of Lost Articles.

Toronto, March 17.—Whether or not the departed spirits have any knowledge of, or respect for the Criminal Code, it still remains a fact that those who purport to be in communication with the departed, and who make earthly use of the occult information which is said to be whispered to them in mysterious ways are very much subject to the Code. The fact came to public attention yesterday at Goode Hall, when a stated case appeared before the Appellate Division, with Miss Maggie Pollock, of Morris Township, Huron County, sister and housekeeper for a farmer of that district, as the defendant. The peculiar charge against Miss Pollock was that in December of 1918, "she did and lawfully pretend, from her skill and science, to discover when, and in what manner certain grain and oats, supposed to have been stolen from one John Lienhardt, could be found." Leinhardt, it was stated, after he had lost his oats, visited Miss Pollock, and had been given certain information from "the other side," which let him know that a man with a vehicle had been the guilty party. On the stand, Miss Pollock stated that since her early years she had possessed a "God-given gift," which she did not understand, the gift being the power of communication with "the other side." She maintained it was not occult, deceit, sorcery or witchcraft, but that it was a peculiar power which had been given to her. The wife of a Brussels barrister told of having profited by the strange messages which came to Miss Pollock. She stated that she had lost a valued heirloom, a ring worth $450. When she visited Miss Pollock, the latter had purported to be in communication with the visitor's dead mother, who informed her that the visitor had thrown her ring out of a certain door with a panful of dust. When the snow melted in the spring, the ring was there.

DID SHE MEAN IT?

Hub (at breakfast): "I've got a' headache this morning."

Wife: "I'm sorry, dear. I do hope you'll be able to shake it off."

Wigg—Styles change even in church music. Wagg—Yes, the recessional is said to be going out.

# Music AND Drama

That clever farce, "Please Get Married," which comes to the Grand Opera House to-morrow for a three-day stay, with Saturday matinee, is one of those witty, amusing and rather sensational presentations bordering on the racy. It is a bedroom farce taken from the French by Oliver Morosco, who has produced a series of hilarious honeymoon happenings, with many unexpected situations. It has delighted all theatregoers and is expected to prove highly amusing to local patrons of the Grand Opera House.

The play revolves around the efforts of a pompous and irate father to prevent the marriage of his son to a neighbor's daughter. The pair are finally married, a burglar, disguised as a parson, does the trick. Then follows interesting developments at a mountain resort hotel, when the couple are about to retire for their bridal chamber. The scenes have been cleverly worked out and with a strong company the offering should prove highly attractive. "Please Get Married" will hold forth at the Grand on Thursday, Friday and Saturday with matinee on Saturday.

FIRST METHODIST CHOIR.

So large has been the sale of tickets for First Methodist Choir concert, to take place to-morrow evening, that only 20 seats are left out of a seating capacity of 1,500. Those desiring to secure accommodation must do so at once. This concert, with a splendid programme by the choir, and supplementing numbers by Elizabeth Campbell, noted Canadian contralto, and Leo Smith, 'cellist, will be one of the most pleasing musical events of the season, and well worthy of patronage.

SAVOY'S RE-OPENING.

Music in the motion picture theatre, properly selected and synchronized is rapidly taking the voice of the silent drama, and yet only a few years ago music and motion pictures were as far apart as night is from day, but the gap has gradually been bridged until now in the first-class photo-play palaces one finds perfect synchronization. This attainment has been due to the few musicians who realized the possibilities in playing pictures and elevating music in theatres to a standard which heretofore had only been heard in symphony concerts and recitals. The best of music will be an outstanding feature of the new Savoy Theatre, which re-opens on Monday night as one of the theatres in the chain of the Canadian Famous-Players' Corporation. In addition to a splendid 15,000 dollar organ, there will be a superb orchestra of twenty pieces, under the direction of Samuel Minnes. Each week, in addition to the magnificent picture productions, there will appear artists of the highest rank. That there is not a more beautiful theatre in all Canada than the Savoy, the management is satisfied will be the verdict of amusement seekers after the re-opening on Monday night. A famous Paramount-Artcraft production, "Male and Female," adapted by Cecil B. DeMille from Sir J. M. Barrie's play, "The Admirable Crichton," has been selected as the opening attraction. It is said to be one of the screen's most lavish productions.

STRONG BILL AT LOEW'S.

Breezy Wallace Reid, star of that lively film comedy-drama, "Hawthorne the Adventurer," which is scoring a tremendous hit at Loew's this week, continues to be a powerful drawing card. The picture, adapted from the stage play in which Douglas Fairbanks made one of the greatest successes of his career, is an exceedingly bright, romantic and absorbing one, and keeps spectators right on the edge of their seats with tense interest. From a poor law clerk, touring Europe in a broken down flivver, to the renovator of a small kingdom torn by revolution and ruined by debts, Wallace Reid, in the role of the attractive and enterprising Hawthorne, is in the picture every minute of the time. Of course, there is a girl in the case, too. This time she is lovely little Lila Lee, who has leaped to stardom as Wallace Reid's leading lady in the latest picture of the popular star. She is a very charming young woman, who makes a delightful princess and delights the fans by her natural and demure interpretation of the character of the Princess Irma.

A remarkably fine vaudeville bill is headed by the Al Golem Troupe, a company of equilibrists noted far and wide in amusement circles as the Persian Marvels. New and dare-devil feats make up their offering, which is as novel as it is entertaining.

LYRIC VAUDEVILLE.

Miss Grace Nelson, whose singing is one of the features of the Lyric's bill this week, by special request, will include in her repertoire this evening, St. Patrick's night, a number of songs of Old Erin. Miss Nelson has a sweet soprano voice, which she uses effectively in popular and operatic selections. She is being received with enthusiastic enthusiasm. "The Fall of Eve," a brilliant little comedy skit, handled in clever style, is the headliner this week. The picture feature is "The Splendid Coward."

Next week's top-liner will be Ralph Dunbar's Grenadier Girls, who will be seen in a novel entertainment in act which combines vocal and instrumental work. They contribute not only choral selections, but also orchestral numbers. It is said to be one of the best acts of the kind in vaudeville today. Jean Chase, who is described as another Billie Burke, and who is meeting with sensational success, will be the added attraction. She is a wonderfully attractive young woman and has rare ability. The feature picture will be Tom Mix in "Wilderness Trail."

# The Way of ARTISTS

Sketches from Life, by

**WESTERMAN**

THE MUSICAL PEOPLE OF HAMILTON SHOULD SEE THIS CLEVER ILLUSTRATED PAGE IN NEXT SATURDAY'S TIMES.

GLORIA SWANSON in
Cecil B. DeMille's "Male and Female"
A Paramount Artcraft Picture

The big feature attraction with which the Savoy will re-open on Monday night.

## NATURAL STEAM SPRINGS.

### Curious Freak of Nature Useful in Italy.

At Larderello, in Tuscany, Italy, a very interesting experiment has been made with satisfactory results. At this point there is an area of about 56 miles where, from time immemorial, natural steam springs have existed. As early as 1790 the presence of boric acid in the water condensed from the steam was detected, and for many years, the Societa Boracifera di Larderello, which is a combination of small companies formerly in operation, has been producing boracic acid on a large scale.

The natural steam was first used for evaporating the water from which the boracic acid is obtained. Wells are drilled and dry steam at a pressure of three atmospheres is found at a depth varying from 195 to 290 feet. At Larderello some of these wells have had an initial production of 154,000 pounds of steam an hour. In 1897 the natural steam was first used for heating the boilers of the company, and in 1905 a further step was taken when experiments were conducted with the steam in a piston engine. The results were so satisfactory that a large engine was installed.

Having a very large surplus of steam in excess of that required for its own uses the Societa Boracifera decided to utilize this excess steam for producing electric power. In 1912 a 250 kilowatt turbo-generator was installed—the natural steam being employed not directly in the turbine, but as a means of heating water for the production of the steam required; and in 1916 a large power plant containing three units of 2,500 kilowatts each was completed. A fourth unit will soon be added which will give a capacity of 7,500 kilowatts, one unit being held in reserve. The boilers which are used are on the principle of the ordinary tube boiler and consist of aluminum tubes contained in a steel or sheet iron. The natural steam at a pressure of about one atmosphere circulates outside the tubes, within which the pure steam is generated at a pressure of about one-half atmosphere. Each element is calculated to produce 13,200 pounds of pure steam an hour. The turbines, which were specially made by Franco Tosi, of Legnano, have a maximum output of 2,000 kilowatts at 3,000 revolutions a minute.

## Why Lower Incisors Rarely Decay

"The reason that the front lower teeth rarely decay and often last through life when all the other teeth have gone," said Dr. C. De Witt Tenry, of New York, "is that they are always bathed in an alkaline solution.

"It is the acids of the mouth that make the teeth decay. The salivary glands in the cheeks pour out a slightly acid fluid, those situated under the tongue pour out an alkaline fluid. The back teeth are constantly bathed in an acid, and therefore decay first. The lower front teeth are so situated that the alkaline secretion from under the tongue floods them and preserves them from decay."

Mabel Cameron who is seen in The Fall of Eve, the headline attraction at the Lyric theatre this week.

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## ST. PATRICK'S DAY

It does not matter much where St. Patrick was born, he was an Irishman to all intents and purposes, and his whole history is wrapped up in the history of that country. A recognized authority says of St. Patrick, that "His was evidently an intensely spiritual nature, and in addition to the qualities which go to form a strong man of action he must have possessed an enthusiasm which enabled him to surmount all difficulties. His importance in the history of Ireland and the Irish Church consists in the fact that he brought Ireland into touch with western Europe and more particularly with Rome, and that he introduced Latin into Ireland as the language of the Church. His work consisted largely in organizing the Christian societies, which he found in existence on his arrival and in planting the faith in regions such as the extreme west of Connaught which had not yet come under the sway of the gospel." St. Patrick was born about the year 389, and he died in 461, his burial place is in doubt.

For quite a few years now the Times has hoped that Ireland would be blessed with Home Rule before another St. Patrick's Day came round, but we have always been doomed to disappointment. May we hope that before next celebration of the event peace and unity will have come to the unhappy Island? Whatever the sins of the past we believe that the whole Anglo-Saxon race has nothing but the kindest feelings toward the green Isle, and that all will be glad when the time comes to find Ireland a happy and united country.

## POLITICS IN THE COUNTY

It is announced that a meeting of the United Farmers will be held in Dundas on Saturday next for the purpose of electing a Farmers' candidate to represent the county in the Dominion Parliament at the next general election. We do not know what the Liberal Association of the County of Wentworth proposes to do, but we think that if it intends to put up a candidate at the next election, it should get busy. The Liberal party in this country is not dead, nor is it dying. With its new leader and its new central organization and a determined following in the Dominion, it is destined to yield a great influence in the political life of the people. The present Government is in a moribund condition, and it is merely preparing for its obsequies, which cannot be long delayed.

There is much in common with the Liberals and the Farmers, but that is no reason why the great historic Liberal party should retire from the field. There is nothing that the Farmers' party can offer the electors that cannot be found in the Liberal platform, and its record in the past belies all attempts to show that it has been recreant to its duty. We would advise the public spirited members of the party resident in the county to get a move on.

## DRURY WAITING AND WILLING

In the Legislature yesterday Premier Drury made a pronouncement in the course of a speech that was intended ab a reply to the speeches of Messrs. Dewart and Ferguson, that he was not satisfied with conditions as they exist at the present time in relation to the prohibition situation. He asked the temeprance people to get together and settle their differences, and then come to the Government and tell it what they wanted. Mr. Drury stated that he believed that the Ontario Temperance Act cannot be enforced satisfactorily as long as inter-Provincial trade in liquor exists. He believed in the principle of the referendum—of submitting the issue to the people—and he expressed the opinion that they could well be appealed to in the matter.

The question of the eight-hour day cropped up in the Premier's speech. It will be remembered that in the Dominion Parliament the other day the Minister of Justice expressed doubt as to whether the Dominion Parliament had the power to legislate on the eight-hour day. They could not make an infraction of such a law a criminal offence. This was a rather funny statement to make after the representatives of the Government had bound Canada over to enact such a law. Now we find that Premier Drury has his doubts as to the powers of the Provincial Government to deal with the subject. In the meantime, the Premier refuses to be stampeded.

## THE REVOLTIOUN A FAILURE

Among to-day's news from Germany is the announcement that Dr. Wolfgang Kapp, the Chancelor and leader of the revolution, and his military henchman, Gen. Von Luettwitz, have decided to retire from the direction of the new Government's affairs unconditionally. This decision was hastened, it is said, by the fact that the Independent Socialists threatn to attack the new Government's forces with armed workingmen. It is also reported that Col. Bauer, confidential adviser of Ludendorff, has been assassinated. A further report is that the Independent Socialists and Communists favor a Soviet Government for Germany in alliance with the Soviets of Russia. It will thus be seen that matters in Germany are in a highly unsatisfactory condition.

Evidently Dr. Kapp has discovered that his revolution lacks the support of the people. The workingmen have no use for the reactionaries. The reply of the Socialists to the revolution was strikes all over the country. The new Government tried to cope with these by shooting down the people, but this plan has only aggravated the situation, and Kapp and his conspirators have discovered that the game is over. However, the Ebert Republican Government is still functioning, and is gathering increasing support throughout the country.

The Allied Powers are contenting themselves with watchful waiting. They have strengthened the bridgeheads so that there can be no outbreak in that quarter. The Allies are seemingly more interested in Turkish affairs, as they have occupied Constantinople with Allied troops, and the big guns of British dreadnoughts command the city.

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

Winter has been long and hard. Summer will be all the more welcome when it comes.

Carroll's Point as a cemetery site is not meeting with the unanimous approval of the citizens.

If Canada is to have a Minister at Washington, will he have to report to both London and Ottawa?

The city authorities will do well to see that they are not led into unnecessary expense in connection with the flooding cases in Homeside.

Flag Day, June 14, in the United States, ma. also be what is called Neighbors' Day, so that the people may get acquainted with each other.

A new Indian Act is to be presented to Parliament enfranchising the Indians. But some of them do not want to be enfranchised. They would rather remain as wards of the Government.

Just now at any rate there is not much likelihood of an architect being appointed by the city. The Board of Education has apparently been able to show that the present plan is the better one.

The Toronto Ministerial Association wants a convention to be held for the purpose of discussing with the workingmen the relation of the Church to the working class. It believes that the Labor men misunderstand the position of the Church.

Sir Eric Geddes, the brother of Sir Auckland Geddes, who is coming to Washington to be the British Ambassador, must be a valuable person. The North-Eastern Railway some time ago gave him £50,000 not to quit the service.

Mayor Church, of Toronto, is in favor of having the War-Times Election Act continued in force, and he wants the City Council to petition the Government to incorporate it in the new election law. We are afraid the Mayor is a reactionary.

Yesterday the Board of Control decided to recommend the appointment of Mr. W. H. Davis, Government Income Tax Collector, as successor to Mr. Leckie, the City Treasurer. The City Council will pass upon the matter at a special meeting to-morrow evening. Mr. Davis was formerly an employee in the Treasurer's office, and is acquainted with the work, and is believed to be thoroughly qualified for the position. But his appointment would not mean promotion for staff, and objection to it may be taken on that ground. Where the public service would not suffer promotion should be followed.

## OTHER PAPERS VIEWS

EVER UPWARD.
(Ottawa Journal.)

The law of gravitation does not seem to apply to the price of potatoes.

NOT HIS OWN BUSINESS.
(Milwaukee Journal.)

Everybody we know of is willing to settle down to business, but, alas! not his own business!

TIMES REVENGED.
(Brockville Recorder.)

What Admiral Jellicoe recommends we heard ten years ago condemned as "A Tin Pot Navy."

POOR FATHER!
(London Advertiser.)

Father knows that spring is here. He has just had to shell out for Susie's new spring bonnet.

STOP THE LEAK
(Brantford Expositor.)

What the cause of temperance in Ontario needs most of all is to stop the leak from outside sources into Ontario, and the only effective method at the present time is the adoption of the Ontario Temperance Act.

QUEER, ISN'T IT?
(Galt Reporter.)

It is sinful to race horses over a half-mile track, but quite the thing to provide contests over the mile speedway. Coming legislation at Ottawa will put it that way, in other words.

UNUSUALLY SKILFUL.
(Raleigh News and Observer.)

The Turks say they have been slandered in the story of the massacres. It may be, but if Turkey has been slandered, there are more ingenious and skillful liars over there than anybody has suspected.

WILL CURE THE BRAGGARTS.
(Guelph Herald.)

There is nothing that will do away with the bombastic talk in the United States about being the dominant power in the world, and the talk of Britain as a bankrupt and mendicant nation, as the prompt repayment of the war loans.

WHY NOT?
(London Advertiser.)

Why not put the Government dispensary in every centre under not a liquor man, but a qualified medical man of approved prohibitionist opinions? And let the doctor define his "patient's" case with medical precision, giving his reasons for prescribing liquor. The cases could then be scrutinised and doctors breaking the law readily punished.

LEADERSHIP NEEDED.
(Woodstock Sentinel-Review.)

It is said that while there was practical unanimity at the Unionist Caucus there was some plain speaking as to the danger of carrying too far a policy of temporizing. It is a good sign when there is plain speaking. The government has shown that it still has considerable strength; but if it is to retain its hold on public confidence, such as it is, it cannot afford to ignore the demand for leadership and action.

STERN MEASURES NECESSARY.
(Toronto Telegram.)

Britain is urged to a policy of soft dealing with the Hohenzollerns and the more dangerous war lords of German. These war lords must die if Germany is to live under free Government. France could never have laid the foundations of the French Republic of to-day if the allies after 1815 had left Napoleon Bonaparte as close to Paris as the present refuge of William Hohenzollern is to Berlin.

THE FRANCHISE BILL.
(Montreal Herald.)

The new Franchise Bill introduced in the House of Commons by Mr. Guthrie is very much like the bill put through in 1885 and afterwards repealed. It is of course on much broader lines but in its essential principles it reproduces the law which had a famous and stormy experience in the days of Sir John Macdonald.

It provides for the making of a Dominion voters' list under a uniform franchise, and includes woman suffrage. There will be registrars, revising officers and the clerks and all the machinery of 1885. As in that Act Provincial lists are to be adopted in cases where they are not more than a year old. In the old law this provision turned out to be practically a dead letter. It practice every man and woman will have to see that his or her name is on the list and after that to exercise perpetual vigilance to see that the name remains on. Each party will have lists drawn up of names to be struck off, presumably their opponents, and another list of names to be added, presumably their friends. Lawyers will be engaged on every side. For the ordinary elector it will be a case where eternal vigilance is the price of his franchise. Until the last spike is driven in the railroading of names off or on no one can be certain that he is safe.

A great deal will depend on the integrity of the officials and upon provision for safe-guards of publicity for the information of the electors. An honest administration of the law is, of course, of the greatest importance. Until the bill is distributed and received in committee clause by clause it will not be fully understood. A great many will prefer the present system of using Provincial lists with manhood registration on the eve of an election.

## THE FUNNY SIDE

A DEFINITION.

"What is intuition, pa?"
"Guessing right the first time."

HE WAS KNOWN.

An architect remarked to a lady that he had been to see the great nave in the new church.

"Don't mention names," the lady replied. "I know the man you refer to."—Houston Post.

THAT WAS AN ESCAPE.

The Interviewer: "And what with icebergs and shipwrecks, and sea serpents and being cast away on a desert island, what do you reckon the narrowest escape you've ever had?"
Old Hand: "A widder at Plymouth with eight kids."

WHY HE WAS LATE.

Teacher—How is it that you're so late, Tommy?
Tommy—'Cause there was a man pinched for stealin' hens and setting a house on fire, and knocking down five policemen, an' mother sent me around to see if it was father.


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## INDIANS' FINE RECORD IN WAR

### Canadian Red Men Did a Splendid Share.

### Over 4,000 Enlisted in the C. E. F.

Ottawa, March 16.—An interesting record of the part that Canadian Indians played in the great war is told in the report of the Department of Indian Affairs for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1919, tabled in the House to-day by Hon. Arthur Meighen, Minister of the Interior.

More than 4,000 Indians from the various tribes enlisted with the C. E. F., and many of these men had exceptionally fine records with the forces. Several served as snipers, and Cpl. Francis Pegahmagabow of Parry Sound was credited with having killed 378 Germans. He returned to Canada with the Military Medal and two Bars. Capt. John R. Stacey of the Caughnawaga tribe was one of the airmen with Col. W. A. Bishop's Flying Circus, and served with great bravery until the time of his death in action. Various deeds of bravery, for which Indians were decorated, are set forth in the report.

There were over 4,000 enlistments of Indians in the C. E. F. This was more than 35 per cent. of the male Indians of military age. The report points out that one man, John Campbell, a full-blooded Indian, travelled 3,000 miles by trail, canoe and river steamer, to reach Vancouver to enlist. Many of the Indian soldiers who returned from the front succumbed to their natural enemy, tuberculosis, as a result of the exposures they had undergone while on war service.

On March 31, 1919, there was a total Indian population in Canada of 105,998, and 3,296 Eskimos. The report shows splendid progress made in recent years in the development of reserves from an agricultural point of view.

A census of real and personal property of all Indians for three years shows a steady increase in value. Values were as follows: 1917, $62,885,915; 1918, $65,285,112; 1919, $67,262,415. The average per capita value of property in 1919 was $667.85, and the average per capita income $94.57.

## CROSSLEY MEETING

### Many Denominations At Wesley Last Night.

Mr. Crossley took a show of hands last evening to discover what various denominations were in attendance at the special meeting at Wesley Church, and it was interesting to discover the variety of them. From every Protestant denomination they came, it would seem, and from every part of the city. Such proves the magnetism of the name "Crossley." People like the singer, like to hear themselves sing, and they do get plenty of it in these services. Last night was what the evangelists term a "Song Sermon," a sermon which as it proceeds has its various dominant ideas illustrated by some song or hymn sung by the evangelists as duets, assisted by the choir and people in the choruses. There is to be another such on Thursday evening.

"Seven Crowns" was the subject last evening—six for us, one not for us. The six for us are "Loving kindness," "Gold," "Glory," "Life," "Rejoicing," and "Righteousness." The one not for us but for Christ alone is the "Crown of Thorns." All these, Mr. Crossley found in the Bible.

As always, there were many striking stories, mostly taken from the experience of the evangelist himself. There was one last night not so taken. It was a most pathetic and well-told story of an American lady, touring with a party in the east, and dying with a few friends around her who had remained behind with her. "Bring," she whispered. They did not know what. She continued whispering "Bring," and they brought everything and everybody that they could imagine she might want. But just when passing she found her words and sang softly all the words, "Bring forth the royal diadem and crown Him Lord of all." To-night the subject is, "Seven Wrong Views of God." There will be full chorus choir.

## ONTARIO G.W.V.A.

### Fourth Annual Convention Opens in Peterboro'.

Peterboro, March 16.—A number of delegates representing various branches of the G. W. V. A. throughout Ontario arrived in the city to-day for the fourth Provincial convention which opens here in the morning. Between five and six hundred delegates are expected. The Provincial Executive, headed by President C. E. Jeakins, of Brantford, and Secretary W. E. Turley, reached the city this afternoon and immediately went into committee. This evening another session was held at which the various committees were appointed. The Wednesday morning session will open with a civic welcome, delivered by Mayor Mitchell, after which the Provincial Secretary's and Treasurer's reports will be received. In the afternoon general business will be taken up.

"You used to pay me many pretty compliments before we were married," said Mrs. Dibs, with a pout. "You women are certainly hard to please," growled Mrs. Dibs. "Didn't I just now tell you these pork chops were done to a turn?"—Birmingham Age-Herald.


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## H. D. S. A.

### Also Pronounces Against Hearst Publications.

The regular quarterly meeting of the H.D.S.A. was held in the C. A. F. hall, corner of John and Main streets, last night at 8.30, with President John Bull occupying the chair. There was a large gathering of the members. Several matters of importance were brought up for discussion and several new applications for membership were received.

The president read several communications from Ottawa on matters of importance. The Association expressed strong objection to profiteering landlords and decided to co-operate with other associations and the Federation to fight this evil; also to co-operate with other associations and the Federation to place a ban on Hearst publications coming into Canada.

A letter was received from the Originals Club inviting this association to parade in memory of the second battle of Ypres. The invitation was accepted.

Tickets for the drawing of the Chevrolet automobile may be obtained from Com. C. A. Morgan, of Snyder, Morgan & Welsh, by the members. They may also be procured at the central branch G. W. V. A., K. of C. hut, Nelson's sporting goods and Mack's drug store.

After the meeting which closed at 9.15, a social time was spent, playing carpet ball, etc.

## WON'T BE STAMPEDED

### Says Premier Drury, On Eight-Hour Day.

Toonto, March 17.—The opinion expressed by Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Commons, that the Dominion could not pass eight-hour day legislation, was brought up in the Legislature yesterday afternoon by Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, Conservative Leader. He wanted to know if the Government had decided upon any action.

Premier Drury, in his reply, said the Government could not be guided by an opinion expressed in debate in the House of Commons. "We won't be stampeded into hasty and unadvised action on this subject," continued Mr. Drury. "There is the closest co-operation between the two wings of the Government on it."

"You have wings, then?" interrupted Mr. Ferguson.

"You got yours clipped," shot back a Farmer member, and the House had a laugh at the expense of the Conservative Leader.

## A PEOPLE IN DIRE NEED

A Canadian, Rev. S. T. Bartlett, who travelled through Armenia, writes: "You cannot overestate the dire need that exists all through the country. I saw thousands of little children literally starving, while numberless women roamed aimlessly and in rags, seeking succour at the various relief depots. The horrors through which Armenia has passed are unforseeable, and none of your readers need think the dire need of the Armenian people is overstated."

Hamilton's citizens are asked to aid in the relief work by subscription. Send cheques or money to Armenian Relief, care of manager, Standard Bank, James street south.

**Too Many Cases.**

In a certain part of African Dominions is a doctor who acts as understudy to the magistrate. Recently each was conscious of having transgressed by riding a bicycle without a light. They decided that the majesty of the law would best be vindicated by appearing before the other. The magistrate, taking precedence, first tried the doctor and fined him five rupees. Then the doctor tried the magistrate and fined him one hundred. The reason he gave for his severity was that the offence was becoming far too common.

## AT LORETTO

### Delightful St. Patrick's Eve Entertainment.

St. Patrick's eve was celebrated in a very fitting way at the Loretto Academy last night, when the young ladies provided a most entertaining programme of dances, chorusses and recitations.

A presentation which elicited much applause was that executed by the little girls in the "Dance of the Shamrock." They also did well in the Irish Jig. A symbolic dialogue which took particularly well was the "Glories of Ireland." Ireland, her eloquence, poetry, music, patriotism, faith and religion were beautifully portrayed in both costume and art by Misses Marie Sullivan, Muriel Bailey, V. Abatin, C. Ryan, Marie Cambell, Albert Dunn and M. Marks. Other numbers on the programme of no less an interesting character were: "An Evening in Ireland"; a vocal duo, "Oft in the Stilly Night"; wand and by the intermediate girls; "Dance of the Nymphs"; "Erin, Home of My Childhood"; recitation and hymns of St. Patrick. An excellent programme was closed by singing God Save the King.

The pupils performed before a large audience, among those present being His Lordship, and Father Lenze and Hinchey. The Judges, acting as chairman, made the closing address, paying high tribute to the pupils and their teachers for the spirit did evening's entertainment.

**His View of Home.**

Little Johnny went with his mother to stay with an aunt in the country, and his mother was very worried as to how he would behave. But to her surprise he was angelic during the whole visit—always did as he was told, and never misbehaved. As soon as he got home, however, he was his natural self again. "Oh, Jimmy," she said, "you were so good while you were away, why do you start having badly now?" "What's home for?" asked Jimmy in pained surprise.

# ENTERTAINED DELEGATES TO CONVENTION

## District Royal Templars Hosts to the Dominion Council.

## BANQUET IN HALL

### Some of the Leading Men of of the Fraternity Were Speakers.

The Hamilton District Royal Templars of Temperance, tendered a banquet last evening to representatives present in the city at the annual conference of the Dominion council, being held in the R. T. of T. hall. The chair was occupied by Ira Green, District Past Councillor. Following a banquet prepared by lady members, a toast to the city of Hamilton, as the Mecca of Templars, was proposed by Bro. Percy North, Dominion Editor. The response was by Controller Calvin Davis, who also extended the civic welcome to the visiting delegates. "I have only one regret, and that is that the Mayor is not here to extend the welcome," said the controller. "For he is the official representative of the city in that respect.. And especially I would like him here to explain his stand on the T.A.A. For to condemn an act which shuts out the curse of liquor from the cellars of the poor in poor policy, and yet I agree with the Mayor that the act should embrace all. I am especially glad to welcome you here on account of the great social work which the Templars have done, and your endeavors in an effort to raise the standard of morals of the country."

The toast to the Dominion Council was proposed by Rev. W. Kettlewell, of Regina. Rev. Kettlewell spoke of the work which the society had already done in assisting in the suppression of the liquor traffic in Canada, thus assisting greatly in the protection of the people.

This toast was replied to by Mr. John Buchanan.

The toast to the ladies present was proposed by ex-Mayor George H. Lees, who commended the ladies on the great work they had done to further the aims of the society.

Dominion Councillor Bro. W. P. Fletcher spoke a few words on the work which has been done already, and their aspirations for the future. "We should feel greatly pleased now, that the people have begun, to a great extent, to abhor the use of liquor, and to see that the extension of prohibition is practically an established fact," said Bro. Fletcher.

Miss Mabel Hull, delegate from Winnipeg, addressed a few words to the members, speaking of the endeavors in the Western provinces, and the hopes that prohibition would soon be extended from coast to coast.

A vocal solo was rendered by Mr. Stanley Addison, and the Royal Templar quartette, under the direction of Dr. C. V. Emory, also sang. The officers of the District Council, under whose auspices the evening was given, are: District Councilor, Ben Johnson; Past Councilor, Ira Green; Vice-Councilor, Peter Melrose; Chaplain, Michael Culm; Treasurer, Geo. H. Lees; Secretary, Ernest W. Simons; Herald, John Mackie; Deputy Herald, Stella [illegible]; Guard, Robert Brett; Sentinel, J. B. Ellison; Press Reporter, Percy A. North; Trustee, Fred Taylor; W. H. Highfield. The dining hall and table decorations were all in St. Patrick's day colors.

# COUNTY Y. M. C. A.

## Noted Speaker Will Be Here Next Saturday.

Wentworth County Y.M.C.A. is fortunate in having secured Mr. Roberts to speak at the first Annual County convention in Robinson's, on Saturday, March 20th, at 12.30. Mr. Roberts was appointed by President Wilson, in 1903, to visit Europe with permission to investigate rural credits and co-operative banking. He is recognized as one of the leading rural life experts of the United States. He will speak on "Reaching the Boys in the Rural Communities."

The Association, under whose auspices he appears, was organized in May, 1912. Its object is to promote the best interests of boys and young men in the County of Wentworth, physically, educationally, religiously, socially, recreationally and in every other way. It does so by organizing a group of young men in each community, who are willing to enlist and train for leadership of groups of boys. The County Y.M.C.A. Secretary employed is responsible for meeting with the training these leaders in organizing groups of boys and carrying on a worth-while programme. This programme is that of the Canadian Standard Efficiency Training for Trail Rangers (12 to 14 years of age) and Tuxis Boys (15 to 17 years of age.) This is recognized by the various Protestant denominations as the official programme of work for boys, and all the work is being done through organized county groups.

The committee in charge of the Wentworth County Y.M.C.A. during the last year, was:—Hon. Chairman, Col Crafton, Dundas, Ont.; Chairman, F. Bigg, Dundas; Vice-Chairman, John Bell, Glanford; Secretary, P. O. Sandickle, Alberton; Treasurer, Hughes, Royal Bank, Dundas; Committee, W. A. Emory, Aldershot, Binbrook Township—J. Fletcher. Glanford Township — Mr. Archie Smith.

Ancaster — Gordon Brown, John Moffatt, Albert Shaver.

Beverly — E. McPherson, R. A. Thompson, Wm. Patterson.

West Flamboro—D. S. Platt, McNeilsen, Wm. MacFarlane.

East Flamboro — Wm. Attridge, Hugh Drummond, C. P. McGregor.

Saltfleet Township— Colbeck, Wm. Wanstone.

Advisory Members—W. G. Marritt, Benson Johnston, J. W. Ward, J. B. Robinson, and G. Emory, Hamilton; Geo. E. Main, W. A. Davidson, and W. J. Kerr, Dundas.

Mrs. Knagge—How can I keep my husband at home nights? Mrs. Gagge—Have you tried going out yourself?—Boston Transcript.

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No Telephone Orders

# STANLEY MILLS DAILY NEWS

No Telephone Orders

38th Semi-Annual

# MANAGERS' SALE

38th Semi-Annual

*—For 19 years have the buying public of Hamilton placed their seal of approval on the STANLEY MILLS MANAGERS' SALE, by making each succeeding sale greater in sales volume than the one previous.*

*—Our policy of holding only two sales each year—Managers' Sale, Spring and Fall—has proved that our system of merchandising is the correct one.*

*—The stores that are consistently advertising so-called sales, cannot concentrate their energies on the value-giving that this store can, with only two sales a year. It is not the name that makes a sale, but the values that are offered.*

*—During the next nine days—a merchandising event—which finds every department of this store primed with extraordinary values, to set a record-breaking value-sharing pace, will swing along in this store. Read our ads each day.*

## Heather Mixed Silk Hose

**1.69 pair**

—Heather-mixed Silk Hose for Spring will be just as popular as the Wool Sports Hose has been during this winter season. The "firsts" in these hose sell at $3.00 pair.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Children's Cashmere Hose

**59c pair**

—An ALL-WOOL quality Cashmere Hose, in cream and black, one-and-one rib. Sizes range from 5 inch to 6½ inch. These are "seconds" of "Little Daisy Hose."

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Women's & Children's Gloves

**39c pair**

—And plenty of them. 500 pairs to go on the counters at this price.

—First quality in fabric and lisle. Sub-standards in chamoisette and Silk Gloves.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Boys' Cotton Jerseys

**39c ea.**

—The kind you used to pay 39c for a few years ago. First quality Traveller's samples. Colors are: light brown, navy, grey, white and combination colors.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## We Are Only Keeping Our Word With You

# Fully Bleached Sheeting

—Away less than mill price to-day, as any woman who knows Sheeting values will be quick to realize. One of the best Sheetings made in Canada. 2 YARDS WIDE.

—We will positively not sell more than 10 yards to a customer—not because we have not plenty to sell, but in order to give every woman a chance to participate in this astonishing value.

**55c yd.**

## Women's House Dresses

**1.69 ea.**

—A bargain of importance to every housewife. Neat styles with collar and cuffs of contrasting material. Some are finished with white piping. Regular value to $2.50.

—Stanley Mills, Second Floor.

## Men's Cotton Socks

**4 pairs 89c**

—Manufacturers' substandards. A special purchase that we have been holding back for Managers' Sale. Seamless. Fast colors of brown, grey and black. All sizes.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Buster Brown Belts

**15c ea.**

—Patent Leather Belts in brown or tan, with neat steel buckles and eyelets.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## White Pique Collars

**59c ea.**

—Fine English Tigue Collars, in a perfect fitting style, for coat or dress.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Pillow Cotton

**50c yd.**

—An extraordinary value considering the present price 44 inches wide. Buy in good supply.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Bleached Cotton

**25c yd.**

—A 36-inch pure Bleached Cotton at less than we can buy at the mill to-day.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Bargains in Waists

**1.79 ea.**

—Hand embroidered Georgette Waists in shades of flesh and maize, also white voile Waists with tucked fronts and flat collar, embroidered in the corners.

—Stanley Mills, Second Floor.

## Egyptian Longcloth

**35c yd.**

—A splendid fabric, suitable for neckwear, etc. 36 inches wide.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Huck Towels

**50c pair**

—Union Huck Towel, size 10 x 40 inches, that will both wear and launder well.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Lace Bargains

**98c yd.**

—Values to $5.00. Lace Insertions—Orjental Laces and Allover Laces. Some bargain!

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Embroidery Flouncings

**1.39 yd.**

—Value to $2.75 yard. A good variety of designs to choose from, on fine cambric.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Toilet Paper

**6 rolls 25c**

—This is the same brand and same quality that is sold every day at 7c roll. "Sanitary" large size rolls. Thursday, 6 rolls 25c.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Table Centres

**17c ea.**

—White Centres Stamped, ready to embroider, in six easy to work designs.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Huckaback Towels

**37c ea.**

—Hemstitched at ends and stamped to embroider. The size is 16 x 36 inches.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Children's Boots

**1.98 pair**

—Chocolate button and black lace boots, in sizes 5, 6, 7 and 8, with ½ sizes included.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Children's Boots

**2.49 pair**

—Tan Boots, with high tops and heavy soles. Sizes 5 to 8, ½ sizes included.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Anderson's Ginghams

**59c yd.**

—This is our new price on these famous Scotch Ginghams. Why pay more? There is a big range of patterns to choose from and the colors are fast.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Wallpaper

**Reg. 15c roll.**

**8c roll**

—Eight different designs and colorings. Wallpapers suitable for bed or living rooms.

—Stanley Mills, Third Floor.

## Auto Coasting Wagon

**4.95**

—Now boys, get father or mother to buy you one of these $6.50 roller-bearing Coasters for $4.95.

—Stanley Mills, Fourth Floor.

## Cups and Saucers

**25c**

—China—not semi-porcelain. A pleasing variety of decorations. The regular price is 35c.

—Stanley Mills, Basement.

## Extra Good Tumblers

**6c ea.**

—You will find them very useful for every-day use. Regular price is $1.20 dozen.

—Stanley Mills, Basement.

## Castile Soap

**6 cakes 25c**

—No better Soap made than this Castile Soap. It is 100 per cent. pure. Lathers freely in both hot and cold water. Not small cakes, but good sized ones. 6 for 25c.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Proof Here of This Store's Value-Giving

# Women's and Misses' Suits

—THE REGULAR PRICES WERE $39.50 and $45.00. Not a suit worth less than twice the price quoted.

—They are smartly tailored Suits of good wearing materials in belted styles. Coats are trimmed with braid and buttons and are lined throughout. Sizes 36, 38, 40.

—Every suit a bargain almost beyond belief in these days of high prices.

**18.95**

## Summer Suitings

**69c yd.**

—Palm Beach and Bungalow Suitings in every wanted shade. Heavy, closely woven fabrics. This price of 69c yard is less than present wholesale prices to-day.

—Stanley Mills, Main Floor.

## Zinc Globe Washboards

**39c ea.**

—You will notice that these are ZINC Washboards, not tin rubbing surface. They are full size, well constructed and smooth finish. Be sure to buy one to-morrow.

—Stanley Mills, Basement.

## Grained Wall Board

**59c, 69c, 79c**

—The width is 32 inches. Waxed finish which makes it waterproof. Priced according to length of board. The 6-foot length, 59c; 7-foot length 69c, and 8-foot length, 79c.

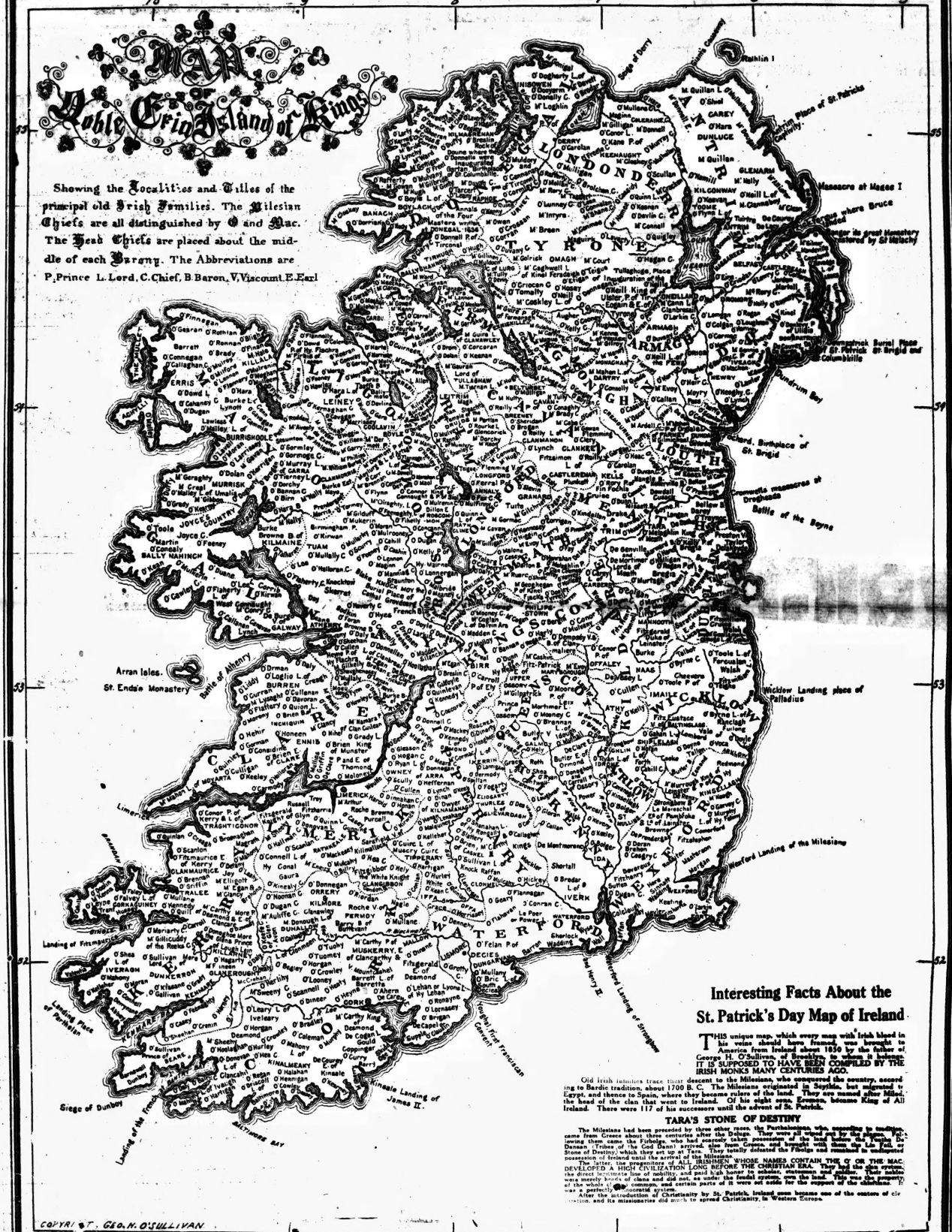
—Stanley Mills, Hardware.

## 5-Feet Step Ladders

**1.19 ea.**

—One of the best bargains in the Managers' Sale. They are made of Georgia pine, well braced and strongly constructed. Each ladder has pail shelf attached. Reg. $1.50.

—Stanley Mills, Hardware.




## Interesting Facts About the St. Patrick's Day Map of Ireland

THIS unique map, which every man with Irish blood in his veins should have framed, was brought to America from Ireland about 1850 by the father of George H. O'Sullivan, of Brooklyn, to whom it belongs. IT IS SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN COMPILED BY THE IRISH MONKS MANY CENTURIES AGO.

Old Irish families trace their descent to the Milesians, who conquered the country, according to Bardic tradition, about 1700 B. C. The Milesians originated in Scythia, but migrated to Egypt, and thence to Spain, where they became rulers of the land. They are named after Milad, the head of the clan that went to Ireland. Of his eight sons, Eremon became King of All Ireland. There were 117 of his successors until the advent of St. Patrick.

### TARA'S STONE OF DESTINY

The Milesians had been preceded by three other races, the Partholonians, who, according to tradition, came from Greece about three centuries after the Deluge. They were all wiped out by the plague. Following them came the Fishergs, who had scarcely taken possession of the land before the Fingis. De Danaan (Tribes of the God Dann) arrived, also from Greece, and brought with them the Lia Fail, or Stone of Destiny, which they set up at Tara. They totally defeated the Fingis and remained in undisputed possession of Ireland until the arrival of the Milesians.

The latter, the progenitors of ALL IRISHMEN WHOSE NAMES CONTAIN THE O' OR THE MAC, DEVELOPED A HIGH CIVILIZATION LONG BEFORE THE CHRISTIAN ERA. They had the clan system, the direct hereditary line of nobility, and paid high honor to scholar, statesman and soldier. Their nobles were merely heads of clans and did not, as under the feudal system, own the land. This was the property of the whole clan, common and certain parts of it were set aside for the support of the chieftains. It was a perfect democratic system.

After the introduction of Christianity by St. Patrick, Ireland soon became one of the centers of civilization, and its missionaries did much to spread Christianity in Western Europe.

## NO PARADES IN IRELAND TO-DAY

Dublin, March 16.—For the first time in 100 years many cities in Ireland will not hold St. Patrick's Day parades to-morrow. The majority of the Irish people decline to apply for the necessary permits from the Government, which has announced that the military will break up any unauthorized parades.

## BILLION LOAN U. S. TO GERMANY

Washington, March 16.—Extension by the United States Treasury of one billion dollars credits to Germany for the purchase of food and raw material is the United States is proposed in a bill introduced in Congress to-day.

The credits would be controlled by the War Finance Corporation, which would regulate the purchases and accept in payment of Germany's obligations the bonds of that country, "having such security and priority as permitted by the peace treaty."

## SOUND WILSON ON TURK SETTLEMENT

Paris, March 16.—The United States Government, according to The Temps to-day, has be f sounded as to its view of the settlement under consideration for the solution of the Turkish problem. The Government has not yet replied, adds the newspaper, but Under-Secretary of State Polk has given expression to his personal opinion on various points of the proposed adjustment for the Near East.

### H. R. H. SAILS.

#### Prince of Wales is Off For Australia.

London, March 16.—The Prince of Wales left Victoria Station this afternoon for Portsmouth, where he will board the Cruiser Renown for his tour of Australia.

King George, Queen Mary and the other members of the Royal family bade him farewell at the station, where the crowd broke through the police cordon and raced to the train, cheering the Prince.

## HIGHEST HONORS HAS COME TO BURLINGTON

### Won Dominion Award For the Best Sunday School Papers.

## ST. PATRICK'S DAY

### Methodist Girls Gave a Very Fine Entertainment Last Night.

To be the winner of the gold medal for Sunday school papers, the highest award given by the Dominion Anglican Synod, is the honor awarded to Marion Conkie, of Burlington, a scholar of St. Luke's Sunday school. Miss Conkie received the highest award of the Niagara Diocese a few weeks ago, that being a silver medal for 99 marks out of the possible 100. This was thought at the time to be extraordinary, and these same papers have now won the highest Dominion award. The rector and the Sunday school officials of St. Luke's are delighted—perhaps more so than the young lady herself. Everyone is justly proud of the honor that has been brought to Burlington through the efforts of St. Luke's scholars.

St. Luke's must now rank high, as this is the fourth medal awarded this year to its scholars, and the success will have a tendency to make more competition amongst them.

St. Patrick's festival will be well and truly celebrated in Burlington. An excellent start was made last night by the Clara E. Moore Mission Circle in the Methodist Sunday school room, with a St. Patrick's eve social, given by these progressive young ladies.

The school-room was prettily decorated with shamrocks and St. Patrick's favors, and a dainty luncheon was served, which consisted of everything in keeping with Old Ireland's day. Irish songs, instrumental solos, and recitations were given, and the following contributed to the programme, all being of more than ordinary merit: Duets by Miss Bodkin and Miss Williamson; instrumental solos, Mr. Reggie Goodhall; recitations, Miss Annie Henderson and Miss Horne; vocal solos, Mrs. White. The Rev. G. W. Barker acted as chairman, and his remarks caused much amusement. The large attendance appreciated the efforts of those who helped to make the affair a success, and some of the audience regretted that St. Patrick's feast only came once a year.

William Glanfield appeared before Magistrate Barr at Burlington yesterday on a charge of theft dating back to May, 1919. He was arrested in Hamilton on information received from Chief Smith, of Burlington, by Constables Gillespie and Speakman. The prisoner pleaded guilty to taking money and clothing from Blake Kerns and J. Griffith at Nelson, and the magistrate, on hearing the evidence, gave him the opportunity to make restitution, and suspended sentence.

The large wooden sign which adorns the Brant street side of the Royal Bank at Burlington came down yesterday afternoon during the strong wind. The sign measures 25 feet, and in its fall did considerable damage to some electric fixtures over the main entrance, and also very narrowly missed a lady and a child, who had just got past. Manager Hilliary said that this unexpected happening gave his office staff and himself quite a shock. He expressed himself delighted that no one was hurt.

The lecture to-night by the Rev. G. W. Tebbs, under the auspices of the Community Club, promises to be an interesting event. The subject is "Irish Wit and Humor," along with other Irish items, solos, duets, instrumental pieces and recitations, and the town hall will be taxed to meet the demand of those who want to attend. Those who are early will be the lucky ones.

The Lenten service at St. Luke's Church, Burlington, on Thursday night will be taken by the Rev. (Capt.) H. J. D. Woodcock, rector of St. Jude's Church, Oakville, and formerly chaplain to the 164th Battalion. The service commences at 8 o'clock.

The fire brigade of Burlington will holds its general monthly meeting to-night at the fire hall. The members are requested to be on hand at 7.30 o'clock.

The Women's Auxiliary and the Girls' Auxiliary met in St. Luke's schoolroom last night to hear a lecture by Miss Newsome, of Hamilton, on "Canada, This Side of the Rockies." The lecturer was decidedly good on this subject, which dealt entirely with mission work. The speaker emphasized the power the Women's Missionary Society had been in furthering the cause of Christianity, and urged all present to be ever ready to work for the Master. After the meeting a social hour was spent and light refreshments were served to the large attendance.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# A FOOTWEAR SALE OF SURPASSING IMPORTANCE

Starting Tomorrow and Continuing Until All Lines Have Been Cleared

THE facts speak for themselves! There are more than 1,000 pairs of shoes in the sale! For women, for misses, for children! Most of them are perfect-condition samples, the balance from our own regular stocks, sharply reduced in price! There are no "factory rejects," no "seconds"—mark that! First class merchandise, every pair, in every particular!

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## 500 Pairs of Women's Footwear

—All sizes from 2½ to 7, with an especially good selection of 4's.

$6.95 Reg. $8.00 to $18.00.

AFTERNOON SLIPPERS WITH BABY LOUIS HEELS
ONE-EYELET TIES WITH BABY LOUIS HEELS
STREET OXFORDS WITH HIGH HEELS
DRESS OQFORDS WITH LOUIS HEELS
ENGLISH WALKING BROGUE OXFORDS
COLONIAL SLIPPERS WITH LOUIS HEELS
SHIMMY PUMPS WITH HALF-LOUIS HEELS
ANKLE-STRAP SLIPPERS
PLAIN PUMPS WITH HALF-LOUIS HEELS
LACE WALKING BOOTS
LACE DRESS BOOTS WITH LOUIS HEELS
LACE STREET BOOTS

Nurses' Shoes

$6.95

Reg. $8.00 pr.

—Nurses' Lace Boots of soft black kid, designed on wide, form-fitting last with cushion insole and low heel with rubber top lift. Sizes 4 to 8. Reg. $8.00. Special.....$6.95

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Patent. Combination Patent-and-Satin.
Cravenette. Combination Patent-and-Suede.
Suede. Combination Kid-and-Satin.
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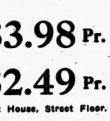

183 PAIRS OF MISSES' FOOTWEAR.
Reg. $6.00 to $8.00 pr.—all sizes, 11 to 2 with an especially good selection of 13's..... $4.49 Pr.

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Reg. $4.50 to $4.50 pr.—sizes 2 to 7½, for girls and boys, with an especially good selection in sizes 4 and 7..... $2.49 Pr.

—Right House, Street Floor.

### PROWNS ON CANAL.

#### N. Y. Senate Disapproves Canadian River Route.

Albany, N. Y., March 16.—The Senate to-day stamped its disapproval on the proposed Canadian ship canal through the St. Lawrence River by adopting a concurrent resolution introduced by Senator L. W. Gibbs, of Buffalo. Senator Gibbs said he had been informed that several Western States were vigorously pushing the project to have American financial assistance aid the proposed canal, notwithstanding that such a canal would prove detrimental to the large canal of New York. He further stated that if the Canadian canal project goes through, it will sound the death knell of canal business in New York. The resolution urges the New York Senators and representatives in Congress to oppose the project in Congress.

"No use in talking; he certainly is one slick proposition. That man is just bound to make money." "What's his latest trick?" "Why, he secretly unloaded all his factory shares on the workers, and himself got a job as an unskilled laborer in the plant." —Judge.

### THE "BEESWAX SHIP."

#### An Unexplained Mystery of the Pacific.

One of the unsolved mysteries of the Pacific is that of the "Beeswax Ship." Up and down the rugged coast, from San Diego to Vancouver, may be found the broken, battered and decaying hulls of vessels that were caught in the merciless grasp of a storm and blown ashore. Practically all of these have been accounted for, though some were stranded in the long ago. But there is one whose identity, destination and purpose remains a mystery; This is the "Beeswax Ship." No other name can be given this unknown craft, because no other name ever been found for it. As far back as the early fifties, when the first white settlers reached that rugged coast section of northern Oregon, near the mouth of the Nehalem River, there was found, embedded in the beach sands, considerable quantities of pure beeswax. At first it was believed that these were "natural deposits" of a substance whose composition and character were similar to beeswax. As the pioneers had use for it in their homes, for one purpose or another, they dug all of it they could find, even going to the trouble of excavating into the beach cliffs for a distance of several miles up and down the coast.

Then somebody came upon chunks of the beeswax that were so regular in form and had such absolute appearance of having been molded that speculation rose as to the source of the stuff. A while later pieces were found that bore the stamp of the maker. Such letters in combinations as "I-H-N" and "I-H-S" were plainly traced. About the same time there were found a large number of candles of beeswax, many of them with the wicks still intact. So it was known positively that the "beeswax deposits" were not "natural deposits" at all, but the buried remains of a ship's cargo.

The name of the ship, whither she was bound, from whence she came, are unsolved riddles. For years and years efforts have been made to lift the veil of mystery that hangs over the "beeswax cliffs." All manner of theories have been advanced, the most plausible of these being that the vessel was a Spanish ship, bringing beeswax candles and other material for worshipping purposes and practical use to the Spanish missions of the early days. She came to grief on the rocky bluffs after having made the long journey from Spain. Yet it is strange that no part of the ship itself, except a few bits of teak-wood, have been found. It is as if every part of the vessel was deeply buried by the drifting sands, or sent to the bottom of the sea except the quantity of beeswax carried.


### Wives and Mothers Need Not Have Sore Backaches

Constantly on their feet, attending to the wants of a large and scattering family, women often break down with nervous exhaustion.

In the stores, factories and on a farm are weak, ailing women, dragging down with torturing backache and bearing down pains.

Such suffering isn't natural but it's dangerous, because due to diseased kidneys.

The dizziness, insomnia and other symptoms of kidney complaint can't cure themselves, they require the assistance of Dr. Hamilton's Pills which go direct to the seat of the trouble.

To give vitality and power to the kidneys, to lend aid to the bladder and liver, to free the blood of poisons, probably there is no remedy so successful as Dr. Hamilton's Pills. For all womanly irregularities their merit is well known.

Exactly of their mild soothing and healing effect, Dr. Hamilton's Pills are said, and are recommended for girls and women of all ages. 25 cents per box at all dealers. Refuse any substitute for Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut.


Many a woman goes on the principle that a diamond tiara in this daylight worth two halos in the next. Quality counts for more than quantity. Even the elephant would rather have a peanut than a bale of hay.

### FOR BREAKFAST.

#### Three Good Recipes for You to Test.

Beat up three eggs with a tablespoonful of milk and a pinch of salt. Melt one-half ounce of butter in an omelette pan, and when it bubbles pour in the mixture, and cook while stirring until it begins to set; fold the eggs over to make it oval. Do not turn it, but to finish it on the upper side place the pan under the grill until just set.

Curl I Eggs—Four hard-boiled eggs one ounce of butter add a dessertspoonful of curry powder and half of flour. Fry all together. Now moisten with a teacupful of milk. Simmer a quarter of an hour. Put the eggs into the sauce, add a teaspoonful of chutney, simmer for a few minutes, and serve with rice.

Fried Bacon with Bananas—Remove the rind from some thinly cut rashers of bacon and fry them on both sides in a frying pan. Skin half as many bananas as there are rashers, cut each in half lengthwise, sprinkle with salt and pepper and fry them in the bacon fat, adding a little margarine if necessary. Dish up the bacon and put half a banana on each rasher. Serve at once.

#### Secrets Brides May Keep.

That the age of bride and bridegroom need no longer be inscribed on the marriage certificate is a new rule in regard to French marriages. It is sufficient if they are declared of age, or over thirty, a statement of specific age being unnecessary, says Tit-Bits.

Hitherto it has been necessary to have the banns posted up on the door of the town hall for ten days, including two Sundays. The latter clause in the rule has been abolished, while, if desired, at the house of either the bride or bridegroom. Two witnesses, instead of four, will also in future be sufficient.

The names of the respective parents will no longer appear in the official publications. The mother of one of the contracting parties will in future have the right to oppose the marriage, a right which before was only attributed to the father.

# RECOMMENDED W. H. DAVIS AS TREASURER

## Board of Control By Majority Vote Passes Name On to Council.

## SPECIAL MEETING

### Matter will Be Dealt With On Friday Evening, this week.

After a discussion of half an hour, the Board of Control at the second of two sessions yesterday afternoon, decided to offer a recommendation to the city council that Walter H. Davis, inspector of incomes in the Dominion Government Service, be offered the position of City Treasurer, succeeding Mr. W. R. Leckie, at a salary of $5,000 per year. Mr. Leckie's resignation takes effect the 1st of April.

The above recommendation was not reached until after a lengthy debate following the departure of the building committee of the Board of Education. The matter had been briefly discussed at the morning session, but had been adjourned owing to the absence of the Mayor from the room in the middle of the most important part. Thus when the Mayor was present again, the discussion was opened by the controllers.

The Mayor opened by stating that Mr Walter H. Davis had been suggested. He would recommend that Mr. Davis be appointed to the position with Mr. Dumpster as assistant, and that the matter of reorganization of the office be left in their hands, when they assumed the responsibilities of the office. A slight increase would be granted Mr. Dempster.

"Well," began Controller Aitchison," for my part I agree with what Controller Davis so aptly said this morning. If the new man does not reorganize the office we will have to. The point is, we don't want to. The trouble with Mr. Dempster is that in reorganizing the office might be afraid to hurt someone's feelings. We want a man who will organize well along the lines we desire."

"You brought Davis in here some years ago," stated Controller Davis. "He demonstrated his real worth in a short while. Archie Kappele is a splendid man, but it would take him from a place he is eminently fitted for now."

"I'll make my stand here on that point," emphatically said Controller O'Heir. "If you go outside the city hall for a man, you'll have to advertise."

"That'll be my stand," declared Controller Aitchison "If you've got to go outside for your man, you might as well give the returned men a chance, and advertise so that any man can take his chance."

"Here is a man," went on Controller O'Heir, referring to Mr. Kappele, "who knows the work from top to bottom. I have heard him speak of what could be done in that department, and I am sure he could reorganize in a way that would make the people of Hamilton sit up and take notice."

"Mr. Kappele has not had the financial training to put him in a position such as this," objected the Mayor. "He is a clever man, but his training is practical, and not this kind of work."

"You've changed your mind since this morning, then," quickly charged Controller O'Heir.

"Oh, no I haven't," returned the Mayor, airily. "I have always held that opinion."

"What, do you mean to say that you're going to pick up a loose financier to look after your job?" asked Controller Aitchison who from the start had been behind Mr. Dempster. "Do you think there are any financial men running around looking for jobs? There is a certain amount of dignity attached to the position, you know," was his gentle rebuke.

"Mr. Davis did not apply to anyone for the position," reminded Controller Jutten.

"Why not give some of the other controllers a chance to see some one they had in mind?" challenged Controller Aitchison, directly.

"You've got the wrong idea altogether," retorted Controller Jutten. "I don't mean anything like that at all."

"I think the Board might as well take Mr. Leckie's advice and get Mr. Dempster. He is well qualified," was the opinion of Controller Aitchison.

This started Controller O'Heir again. He pointed out the merits of Mr. Kappele, and reasons why he considered him best qualified.

"When a man works for the city practically all his life, and does invaluable service, he is deserving of some recognition, surely. Along comes a fat job like this and you go outside to fill it," said Controller O'Heir.

"Archie Kappele is one of the best men in the city hall," declared the Mayor.

"He is so good I shouldn't want to see him taken out of the place he has made such a success of," said Controller Davis.

"Couldn't you raise him, and raise his men to follow him?" Controller O'Heir wanted to know. "If he is so good, isn't he good enough for this position? What is he getting now?"

The controller was informed that Mr. Kappele's present stipend was $2,700 per annum.

"Huh," observed Controller Aitchison, "not much encouragement to a man for a life's work in the service of the city. It doesn't encourage work in the different departments if you give all your best vacancies to outside men. I'll tell you, if I can't get support for Mr. Dempster, I certainly will support Mr. Kappele. I don't want to go out of the city hall."

"Well, as far as I am concerned, there will be no beating about the bush," announced the Mayor. "I think Mr. Dempster is our man."

"I think so, too," agreed Controller Aitchison.

"Well, I think Kappele is head and shoulders over Dempster," snapped Controller O'Heir, and he told why, impressing the Board it was his stand, pure and simple.

After some more discussion the Mayor suggested, as they weren't apparently getting anywhere, it would be best to leave the matter and take it up again.

"Kettle it now! What's the use of having all this argument over again. That's what you'll do if you leave it," contended Controller Aitchison.

Controller Davis observed that no time should be lost and that the whole thing might as well be threshed out while they were at it. Finally Controller Aitchison said:

"I move that Mr. Dempster be offered the position." This was properly presented, but no seconder could be found.

"I move that Mr. Kappele be offered the position," was Controller O'Heir's motion.

"I second that," spoke up Controller Aitchison.

This motion was declared lost.

There was a moment of silence. Then Controller Aitchison said:

"Well, then, I move that we advertise for a man and give everyone their chance."

Nobody would second this, and Controller Jutten came out with:

"I move that Walter H. Davis be offered the position as city treasurer, succeeding Mr. Leckie, at a salary of $5,000 per year."

Controller Davis seconded the motion. The vote of the Mayor carried it.

"I tell you right now that I shall certainly oppose it in the council!" declared Controller O'Heir.

"Why five thousand?" Controller Aitchison wanted to know. "Why all that amount over the other man?"

"That is what is in the recommendation," was the reply from Controller Jutten. "You heard it."

"Hold on for a minute," protested Controller Aitchison. "This thing is open for discussion. The battle is not over yet. It goes to the council. We will oppose it there. I'll warn you that in giving that increase it will mean a $1,000 increase for the head of every department. What does the city clerk get?"

"Thirty-six hundred," supplied secretary Parr. "And the city solicitor gets $5,000 and he asks for more."

"You're going to find yourself in a hole when you start this thing," predicted Controller Aitchison. "There'll be no end to it. The heads of the departments are in all fairness, judging by this, entitled to a straight raise of $1,000. I for one shouldn't blame them," he stated.

"Isn't the city clerk worth $5,000, too?" inquired Controller O'Heir, sarcastically.

"I think the city clerk is the most valuable man in the city hall," said Controller Aitchison.

"He is the most poorly paid man here," observed the Mayor.

"To speak frankly," declared Aitchison," I think Sam Kent is a $10,000 man."

"Well," said the Mayor with a weary sigh, "then it is recommended to the council that W. H. Davis be offered the position at $5,000?"

"I shall oppose it in the council," promptly repeated Controller O'Heir.

It was decided to have a special meeting of the council called for the purpose of taking the matter up. This was fixed for Friday night as it is desired to have it settled without delay.

"The fight isn't over yet," assured the two labor members as the Board adjourned.

# FARM CONDITIONS

## Fall Wheat and Clover in Good Shape Yet.

The following is a summary of the reports made by agricultural representatives to the Ontario Department of Agriculture:

The trying time for fall wheat and clover has arrived, as many fields have been more or less uncovered by the thaw of the past week. So far, however, these crops are said to be in good condition.

Wentworth states that up to the present no complaints of winter injury have been made by fruit growers.

Live stock throughout the Province are remarkably free from disease, and are otherwise in fair general condition, considering the close feeding that has been practiced owing to the shortage of grain.

Notwithstanding the scarcity and dearness of concentrates, dairy farmers are meeting fairly well their contracts with town and city milk dealers.

Wentworth reports local packing houses are paying $18.75 a cwt. for bacon hogs. Lower prices are being paid in less favored localities.

Good farm laborers are hard to procure, although wages and other inducements offered were never so generous.

# SHORT ITEMS OF THE NEWS OF THE DAY

## German Delegation at Paris Takes No Orders from Von Kapp.

## NEW COAL IN FRANCE

### Ex-Crown Prince is Joyous Over the Events in Germany.

Many mill dams in the Unionville district were wrecked by floods.

Manitoba Legislature is asking for a referendum on the importation of intoxicating liquor.

The vaccination ban on crossing of the U. S. border is to be removed, it is said, on Friday.

Chas. Willford and Frank Oram died of injuries caused by an explosion of acetylene gas at the plant of the Air Liquide Co. at Calgary.

Railroad, telegraph and telephone services in the West have been badly crippled by one of the worst blizzards ever experienced there.

Winnipeg City Council has decided to divide the city into three wards instead of seven, with eighteen Aldermen, to be selected by proportional representation.

Walter Moore was arrested near the Sunnyside Orphanage, Toronto, charged with aggravated assault, carrying concealed weapons, and wearing mill lady decorations to which he was not entitled.

Colonization road inspectors, at their first convention since the inception of the Colonization Department in 1866, were urged by Hon. Beniah Bowman to make every dollar of Government road agents yield 100 per cent. return.

The preliminary steps are being taken to establish waterworks in Port Dalhousie.

General Sir Sam Hughes is rapidly approaching convalescence and expects to leave Wellesley Hospital, Toronto.

The death is announced of Eduardo Sonzogno, head of the well-known music-publishing firm of Milan.

The City Council of London adopted a forty mill tax rate for 1920.

Lieutenants Ozeka and Wada have just accomplished the longest flight yet made by Japanese aviators. The flight, which was between Tokio and Seoul, Korea, a distance of 962 miles, required portions of three days.

The German delegation at Paris is continuing its work in the execution of the treaty as before. A leading member of the delegation confirmed the Associated Press that the delegation will accept no orders from the Kapp Government.

There has been much feasting and other celebrating within the quarters of former Crown Prince Frederick William, at Wieringen, since the news of the new developments in Germany began to reach Wieringen, Frederick William being reported as regarding the situation joyfully.

An ice jam four miles in extent has formed at the mouth of the Thames and hundreds of acres of low-lying land near Prairie Siding are flooded to the average depth of two feet. Reports that the ice in Lake St. Clair is still intact and three feet in thickness give little hope of any easing of conditions for some time.

### FAMOUS CANADIAN SURGEON DEAD.

Portland Oregon, March 16.—Dr. A. J. MacKenzie, dean of the medical department of the University of Oregon and a surgeon of national reputation, died last night of heart disease superinduced by influenza. He was sixty years old and is survived by two daughters and two sons. Dr. MacKenzies credited with having developed nerve grafting. He was born at Cumberland House, Manitoba, and was a graduate of McGill University, Montreal, and the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, Edinburgh, Scotland.

COL. COLLISHAW WELL.

A letter has been received in Toronto from Col. Collishaw, famous Canadian "ace," about whose health and whereabouts there has been some anxiety of late. He is in South Russia with the British Mission, and is again in good health after his attack of typhus.

# EBERT IN TOUCH WITH THE ALLIES

## Had 'Phone Talk With French Premier.

## Entente Taking No Chances With Kapp.

Paris, March 16. — Despite the fresh reports to-day that the German militarist de facto regime under Dr. Wolfgang Kapp has thrown up the sponge, the Allies intend to maintain the closest "watch on the Rhine" and keep their troops at the strategic bridgeheads "at their reinforced strength until there is absolute certainty that neither a reactionary nor a red revolution is sweeping the former empire.

Politically, the most important unofficial report from Berlin to-day was that France had sent a diplomatic mission to Stuttgart, where Friedrich Ebert and his Cabinet are holding forth. Another despatch had it that Ebert was in direct touch with the Allies today and had a telephonic conversation with Premier Millerand.

These reports were greeted with gratification by that section of the French press and public that has been urging France to take the initiative in encouraging the anti-Prussian separatist movement in South Germany, thus taking advantage of an opportunity to obviate the German menace forever by splitting the nation asunder.

A report that Marshal Foch gave Dr. Kapp 48 hours in which to resign, threatening to march into Germany if the demand was disobeyed, was denied officially. It caused a great sensation here, but in quarters where sane and logical heads predominate it was ridiculed from the outset.

# ALLIES SUMMON KING OF SYRIA

Paris, March 16.—Prince Feisal, son of the King of the Hedjez, has been invited to come to Paris at the earliest possible date, as the result of his being proclaimed King of Syria. The Temps to-day says it understands. He will be asked to explain his action to the Peace Conference.

### Surely Drafty.

There are all sorts of different ways of bringing a thing home to people. Take the case, for instance, of a member of the Essex district councillors in England recently, who wanted to enable his fellow-councillors to realize the shameful disrepair of a certain cottage near by. It was so drafty, he said, that tunes could be played on a mouth organ moved up and down along cracks in the walls.

# FIX STATUS OF COMMERCE BOARD

## Matter to be Decided By Supreme Court.

## Question of Jurisdiction Over Trade.

Ottawa, March 16.—The statute of the Board of Commerce as a Superior Court of Canada, challenged by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, the Winnipeg Grain Exchange, the Attorney-General of Alberta, and many private firms, chief of which is Price Brothers & Co., paper manufacturers, will be decided forthwith by the Supreme Court of Canada.

Argument for all these contestants on the one hand, and for the Attorney-General of Canada on the other, was concluded this afternoon in the Supreme Court in the hearing to decide whether or not the Combines and Fair Prices Act was intra vires in its prohibition of the accumulation of manufactured goods by the manufacturers, and in its appointment of a tribunal such as the Board of Commerce, first, to decide what commodities shall be forced on the market at a fixed price, and then to proceed against merchants who refuse to carry out its orders.

The act was defended by W. F. O'Connor, K. C., Acting Chairman of the Board of Commerce, and Major Lewis Duncan, both of whom appeared for the Attorney-General of Canada. They argued that Parliament had the power to delegate to the Board of Commerce powers to regulate prices and to enforce the marketing of the necessaries of life at such fair prices. The act was also declared not to conflict with the rights of the Provinces.

W. N. Tilley, K. C., and Eugene Lafleur, K. C., argued for the Canadian Manufacturers' Association and the Attorney-General of Alberta, respectively, against the act. Factums were submitted on behalf of many other appellants against the act, whether on behalf of the act, infringed on the right of property and conflicted with Provincial rights. It was not criminal legislation, said Mr. Tilley, and Parliament had not intended, nor had it the right, to delegate to the Board of Commerce the right to interfere with property rights which came within the jurisdiction of the provinces alone.

The arguments pro and con lasted two days. The decision of the Supreme Court will be handed down in due course.

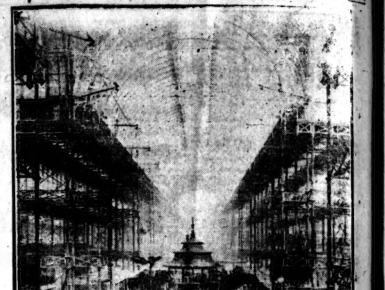
# TOWN OF KIEL BOMBARDED

London, March 16.—Four hundred persons are reported to have been killed and many persons wounded in a bombardment of Kiel by the German cruiser Eckenfoerde, says a Central News despatch from Copenhagen, quoting the Eestrablad's Kiel correspondent.

The despatch adds that some quarters of the town were destroyed by the bombardment. The cruiser is said to have directed its fire especially against the quarters of the workmen who are opposed to the Kapp Government.

### When Boston Was in Trouble.

In 1774 on the 1st of June, the Boston port bill went into operation. At noon the harbor was closed against all vessels, and business was suspended. In a 20 days' notice the citizens of Boston were deprived of their means of gaining a living. Indignation ran high throughout the colonies, contributions were raised in other cities for their relief, and the people of Marblehead offered the Boston merchants the use of their wharves.




BRITISH INDUSTRIES FAIR AT CRYSTAL PALACE.

Photo shows general view of a street in the exhibition. Canadian manufacturers were well represented.

# EXPORT TAX ON JAMAICA SUGAR

## Latest Proposal to Augment Colony's Funds.

## Cut Duty 50 P. C. on Empire Failures.

Kingston Jamaica March 16.—The Government introduced legislation today for State control of the liquor traffic. The measure will be opposed on the ground that it is unnecessary.

The Governor of Jamaica Sir Leslie Probyn in his address at the opening of the Legislative Council to-day, submitted a proposal to reduce by 50 per cent. the duty on cotton and woollens produced in the British Empire on entering Jamaica. This would have the effect of diverting trade from the United States to the United Kingdom.

It is proposed also to impose a tax on sugar exported from the colony, and to establish a cement factory to augment the revenue of the Government.

A loan of $15,000,000 is to be floated for carrying out works of improvement.

# ARMENIA ACTS AGAINST TURKS

Adana, Asia Minor, March 16.—The Armenians closed their shops here and informed the French that they will send armed Armenians to the relief of Hadjin, northwest of Marash, where the Turks are reported to be terrorizing the populace, if the French do not despatch troops there.

The villages of Ronloo and Yerebakar have been overrun, and the Armenian inhabitants have fled to Hadjin.

A telegram sent from Hadjin by one of the American relief workers says all is well there, but that the populace expects to be cut off from communication shortly.

Deposits of coal have been discovered near Lyons and in the departments of Saone and Nievre. Anthracite has also been found recently at Colombiers, in the department of Cher.

# STOCKMEN BOOST REGISTER FEES

## Swine and Sheep Breeders Increase Scales.

## Sheep Men Want Pact With U. S. Too.

Toronto, March 17. — Increases in fees for registering pure-bred stock were decided on at the special meetings of the Canadian Swine and Sheep Breeders' Associations held yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Carls-Rite. The action taken in each instance was a ratification of resolutions put forward at the annual meetings recently held.

The Swine Breeders met at one o'clock and authorized a new scale of fees, as follows: For animals under one year of age, $1; animals over one and under two years, $2; over two years, $3, and for transfer of ownership, 50 cents. The fees heretofore have been 50 cents for registration of all animals under two years of age, and free registration of transfers of ownership for sixty days from the date of sale, and 50 cents beyond that period.

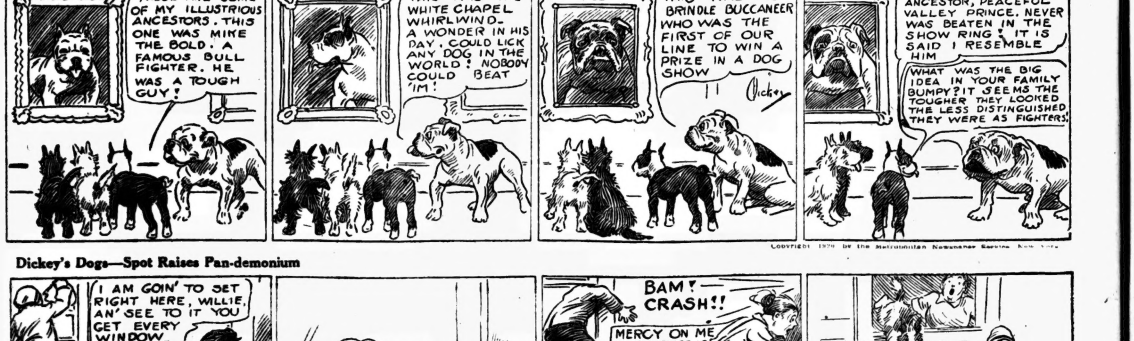
The Sheep Breeders assembled at three o'clock. The new scale of fees decided on was: For animals under one year, 50 cents; over one year and under two, $1.00; over two years, $1; transfer of ownership, 25 cents. Under the old scale the charge was 10 cents for animals registered before December following the year of birth and $1 beyond that time limit, while transfer of ownership registrations were made free of charge within sixty days of the date of sale, with a 25 cents charge after that period.

The Sheep Breeders authorized the Executive Committee to endeavor to make reciprocal registration arrangements with the different American associations. It is desired to have Canadian registrations accepted in the United States and vice versa. Sheep breeders already enjoy this reciprocity with the American associations.

Both associations consider a proposal to make a charge for their registration record books, but it was decided not to proceed with any steps along this line.

Blobbs—I am just cut out to be Miss Gotrox's husband. Slobbs—Tough luck! Who cut you out?

Dickey's Dogs—Yes, the Face is Worse than the Bite

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Dickey's Dogs—Spot Raises Pan-demonium

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# AMENDING THE CONSTITUTION OF CANADA

## Discussion in Parliament Over Changing of the B. N. A Act.

## BULGAR TREATY

### Should Canada Have the Power to Change Its Status in Empire?

Ottawa, March 16.—Liberals in the Commons to-day urged upon the Government the desirability of seeking amendments to the British North America Act which would place the Sovereignty of Canada beyond question.

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Liberal Leader, outlined the position of the Opposition in discussing the ratification of the Bulgarian Treaty of Peace, when he said the Government should consider the advisability of asking the King to give power to the Dominion Parliament, subject to the concurrence of the Provinces of Canada, to amend the British North America Act. Mr. King's statement of Liberal policy, it is understood, was decided upon at a caucus held early in the day.

Most of the day was devoted to debating a resolution asking Parliament to ratify the Bulgarian Treaty. Canada status in the League of Nations and in the British Empire, featured all the addresses of members on both sides of the House. Although the Liberals gave the foregoing definite expression as to policy with regard to its status, they agreed to the ratification of the treaty at the close of the debate late to-night at the termination of an address by Hon. Newton W. Rowell, President of the Privy Council. Hon. Mr. King prefaced his address by explaining that as Parliament had ratified other treaties at the last session, it would create a misleading impression were the Bulgarian Treaty not ratified, too. Nothing had occurred in the interim to cause one treaty to be accorded different treatment than the others.

THE BULGARIAN TREATY.

When Parliament was asked to ratify the Bulgarian Treaty, Mr. King said, he would have expected there would have been something in it relating to Canada. However, any opinion expressed in the House would not change in any way the treaty which was signed November 27, 1919.

"Anything that this Parliament may do in the matter of approving or disapproving of the treaty will not affect a dot of a single 'i' or the crossing of a 't' in a single clause in the treaty," averred the Liberal Leader. Approval was being asked of Parliament, he felt, as a matter of form. Instead of giving reasons showing why Parliament should approve the treaty, Hon. Mr. Rowell, the speaker said, had given reasons why it would be unwise not to approve it.

WANTED CHANCE TO SPEAK.

Two reasons were given by Mr. Rowell, continued Mr. King, for approving the treaty. One that it was necessary because of Bulgarian nationals in our midst, and that there was certain enemy property in Canada, and, secondly, because it contained provisions of the League of Nations and the Labor clauses of the treaty. Parliament had already approved the League of Nations and the Labor clauses, Mr. King declared. Mr. King believed that if Mr. Rowell were honest with the the House, he would admit that the main reason for introducing the measure in the House was to give him opportunity to make an address. Other treaties had been approved by order in Council. He assured the House that Liberals were in favor of democratic control of all matters of foreign policy, and further, he would like to have the House express itself against Canada being bound by any treaty or agreement of importance on external affairs on which Parliament had not full knowledge.

"There is not a man in Canada," Mr. King declared, "that would give up Canada's present status. There is no difference of view on that point." It seemed as if Mr. Rowell were trying to convey an impression that Canada now had a new status. However, Liberals would approve the treaty because, having approved other treaties last year, the same course should now be pursued.

AMEND CONSTITUTION.

The Liberal Leader quoted from the Government notices of motion to show that it appealed to his Majesty praying the Imperial Parliament to amend the British North American Act. "Instead of asking for amendments to the B.N.A. Act by the Parliament of the United Kingdom, the Government should consider the advisability of an address being presented to the King to have power given to the Parliament of Canada, subject to the concurrence of the Provinces, to amend the constitution of Canada in such particulars as might be done as a result of a conference between the Provincial and Federal authorities and approved by this Parliament and the Legislatures of the different Provinces. The speaker pointed out that both Australia and New Zealand had the right to amend their own constitution, subject to certain safeguards that were necessary to comply with the spirit of confederation. Canada should have the same power.

DANGER OF CENTRALIZATION.

"What we are concerned about is that the danger of developing a form of centralized imperialism, we think, would be more thoroughly objectionable so far as the interests of this country are concerned," declared the Liberal Chieftain. It is not to the status of Canada in the British Empire that we object to. We wish to see that position maintained and strengthened.

Mr. King reiterated that Canada's position had only been more clearly defined by the war. So far as the world was concerned, there had been an international recognition of that status, such as had never existed hitherto in the history of the Empire. In conclusion, Mr. King declared that as long as Parliament was responsible for her external affairs we would feel that we were a nation, but let the sovereignty of Parliament be impaired and we would feel that the position of the country as a nation had been menaced to that extent.

MINISTER OF JUSTICE CHIDES.

Hon. Mr. Doherty chided the Liberal Leader, because, he said, Mr. King had told a different story today than Liberal Leaders did at the last session. He congratulated Mr. King on now agreeing with the Government with regard to Canada's national status. The Minister of Justice declared that notwithstanding the statements of Mr. King, the Bulgarian Treaty was not binding on this country until it was ratified by Parliament. When his Majesty signed the treaty for the British Empire he knew what the Empire consisted of, and he explained that the signatures of all the nations of the commonwealth were required. The Government had brought the Bulgarian Treaty before the House, the Minister said, because it was anxious to maintain the principle that no treaty of such importance should ever be binding on Canada until it had been ratified by Parliament.

NO GROUND FOR FEAR.

Sir George Foster and Hon. W. S. Fielding both declared there was no ground for statements that a movement was on foot for centralization of the British Empire.

"As to Imperial centralization, I give it for my opinion that neither in Canada nor anywhere in the British Empire is there anything to be feared from undue centralization, because it can never be made a fact in this British Empire," said Sir George. Hon. Mr. Fielding thought that Canada had every protection without taking part in the Peace Conference. It was a grave mistake for Canada and other parts of the Empire to have demanded a place at the Conference. Such a course was the beginning of a policy of separation in the Empire, the end of which might not be what was desired.

TREATY APPROVED.

In concluding the debate, Hon. Mr. Rowell pointed out that there were very marked differences between the addresses of the Liberal Leader and Hon. Mr. Fielding. Because of this difference of view, he wanted to know where the Liberal party stood on the question of Canada's status. Canada's statesmen would have been derelict in their duty if they had refused to take part in the Peace Conference, in view of the part Canada took in the war. Speeches made by Hon. W. S. Fielding, such as that of to-night, would be used against Canada, and would mislead the people of the United States.

The House then unanimously approved of the ratification of the Peace Treaty with Bulgaria.

### GALT WORKS CHAIRMAN QUITS.

Galt, March 16.—City Council held its lengthiest session of the year last night, and as an outcome of the decision not to let any new paving contracts this year owing to the high cost, Ald. W. A. Dixon, chairman of the Board of Works has resigned that office, considering the decision as a vote of lack of confidence in the chairman.

The world is full of ambidextrous people who are sure they are right and then get left.

# RESERVATION IN PEACE TREATY

## New Proposal for the U. S. Policy.

### Ratification Now Expected By Some.

Washington, March 16.—A general declaration of international policy, under which the United States would view with "grave concern" any future upheaval threatening the peace and freedom of Europe, was agreed on by Republican Senate leaders to-day and presented as a new reservation to the peace treaty.

Intended to replace the more definite pledges of Article 10, the reservation is to be pressed in the Senate as the farthest step the Republican leaders are willing to go toward abandonment of United States isolation and participation in European conflicts. Its text follows:

"It shall be the declared policy of this Government that the freedom and peace of Europe being again threatened by any power or combination of powers, the United States will regard such a situation with grave concern, and will consider what, if any, action it will take in the premises."

Senator Lenroot, of Wisconsin, drafted the reservation, in consultation with other Republican leaders, and introduced it in the Senate.

Not many Democrats had had an opportunity to-night to study the new Republican proposal, and it was uncertain how much support it would command from that side of the Chamber. Some Senators predicted, however, that it might have the effect of softening the resentment of the Administration over the Republican Article 10 reservation and win over enough more Democratic votes to ratify the treaty.

The new reservation follows the general outline of a declaration which was contained in a resolution introduced several months ago by Senator Knox, Republican, Pennsylvania and never acted on by the Senate. Those who support it declare that while it would leave the United States free from any definite promise to intervene in European affairs, it also would give evidence of the nation's vital interest in any future war such as the one just closed.

The words, "grave concern," one Senator pointed out, usually carry deep significance in diplomatic usage, and frequently have been employed to describe an attitude contemplating possible action. Supporters of the reservation declare that in its moral effect such a declaration would be a powerful deterrent should any nation again purpose to despoil Europe as Germany did.

It is expected that it also will be argued that the reservation would lend immediate moral support to the struggling new nations of Europe and would be reassuring to France whose defensive treaty with this country still awaits ratification here and faces a bitter fight if it is called up for action.

# NOSKE STILL STRONG MAN

London, March 16.—The press and public here are more in the dark to-night regarding the actual German situation than they have been since the Ebert regime was overthrown by Dr. Wolfgang Kapp and General Baron von Luettwitz. A steady stream of reports and rumors poured in all day direct from Berlin and by way of Holland, but no report bears the stamp of positiveness or authenticity.

A conference was held this afternoon by Allied statesmen, including Premier Lloyd George which was attended, the Pall Mall Gazette avers, by an expert on German affairs just back from Berlin. His report is declared to have been to the effect that Gustav Noske, Ebert's Minister of Defence, is still the strong man in Germany and stands a good chance of getting the situation under control.

The greatest moments of life are but moments like the others. Your doom is spoken in a word or two. A single look from the eyes, a mere pressure of the hand, may decide it. Or of the lips, though they cannot speak.—Thackeray.

# UNIONISTS NOT STRONG FOR A NAVY

## Caucus Majority Seems Keener For An Air Force For Canada.

## THE LIBERALS

### Did Not Discuss the Matter of the Jellicoe Report.

Ottawa, March 16.—In to-day's Unionist caucus Senators and members of Parliament from all sections of the Dominion, with few exceptions, advised the Government that Canadian sentiment is utterly opposed to embarking on a naval policy of any magnitude at the present time. Even though the members were informed that the British Government was prepared to donate cruisers, submarines, torpedo boats and destroyers to the value of $16,500,000, they were unwilling to accept a gift which would entail an annual naval expenditure of at least five million dollars.

It was stated that when the Government was trying to economize in other directions, there would be great unrest among returned soldiers, as well as among other sections of the population, at not having their demands met, when the country could find money for such a purpose. One man, who believed that Canada must adopt a naval policy sooner or later, thinks it wise not to embroil the country in a discussion on the matter now until questions of taxation, Canadian status, public debt, and political alignments are cleared out of the way.

One Western member was of the opinion that people in the prairie Provinces wanted box cars more than battleships, and he said that a great many people were surprised to hear such talk of a navy, when during the war it had been said so often that this is "a war to end war." The German navy is no more, and it would be hard to convince Canadians that there was a great menace from the sea. In the opinion of some of the members spoken to afterward, embarking on a naval policy of any magnitude would be equivalent to inviting the United States to start on a competitive race in naval building with the British Empire, and they thought that would be suicide for both countries.

Members from British Columbia strongly favored a policy of building to meet any possible menace from across the Pacific, and members from the Maritime Provinces are divided on the need of a navy, a majority, however, thinking it was best to go slow in the present state of finances, and better also to spend money in the ports of St. John and Halifax than to spend it on naval contributions to meet non-existent enemies. Ontario and the Western prairie Provinces were against a navy being accepted and maintained at the present time.

There was a strong consensus of opinion, however, in favor of establishing camps both east and west for the development of a national air service, and to take advantage of the very expert Canadian airmen developed by the war. These would be run and administered much as military camps have been in the past.

It is, therefore, almost certain that the Government will accept the voice of the caucus and do next to nothing in naval matters this year.

LIBERALS LOOK FOR FIGHT.

At the conclusion of the Liberal caucus, J. A. Robb, Chief Liberal Whip, stated briefly that the Liberal members had discussed the proposed Government legislation now on the order paper. This would include the Franchise Bill and the proposed amendments to the British North America Act. The later resolutions, it is said, will raise anew the question of Canada's status as a nation, which has been frequently dealt with lately, and there is a possibility of a fight along the line that if Canada is a nation she should have the right to amend her constitution as desired, on the Federal Government receiving the assent of all the Provinces.

Liberal members stated that there had been no discussion of naval policy or the Jellicoe report.


### Only That Difference.

As I was going shopping I met a charming little fellow who spoke to me quite politely. In further conversation I inquired his name. "Oh," he answered, with easy assurance, "it is just the same as my daddy's, only it's got 'Jr.' on the end of it."—Chicago Tribune.

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# A JEWEL IN THE ROUGH

"Well, here's enough to keep you in oil for the next three months," said Katrine, taking a little object from her belt which looked like a well-filled tobacco-pouch and putting it on the shelf above her head.

"What's that—dust?" said Annie. "Wherever do you get so much money?" she adds, staring at her.

"I won that last night," returned Katrine, lightly. "I do have such luck. I wish you could come, Annie, and see the fun we have down-town of a night, instead of moping up here; and I do have such luck," she repeated again, with a half sigh. "I don't know what I'd do if it should change. I'd have to be bar-keeper for a living, I suppose. Think I'd make a good bar-keep?" she said, getting up and stretching her arms above her head. All her full, lissom figure was revealed to advantage by the attitude, and the fire-light fell softly on the gay, bewitching face, slanted over to one shoulder as she put the question.

"I do that," replied Annie, with emphasis. "Your bar would always be crammed by all the chaps in the place, my dear."

Katrine laughed.

"I'm glad you think so. I'll bring you some of my oil to burn for to-night, and then I must be off earning my living."

She went into her own cabin and brought back a can of oil with her, trimmed and cleaned and lighted Annie's lamp, and then with a kiss bid her good-bye till the next day, and took her way down to the main street. She had only a little dust in her belt—just enough to start playing with—and if luck should go against her she would have to return empty-handed; but then she always trusted to luck, and it had never forsaken her. Her mode of life, precarious and uncertain, dangerous and unsatisfactory as it might seem to an on-looker, never troubled her. She was in that state of glorious physical health and strength which lends an unlimited confidence to the mind, a sense of being able to cope with any difficulty that might suddenly present itself, when every present or possible trouble looks small, and when mere life itself, the mere sensation of the blood being warm in one's veins, is a joy. She loved the excitement, even the uncertainty of her life, and she had more friends in the town than she could count, who would be glad to lend her all she needed if her luck failed.

That night, when Katrine lay fast asleep in her small inner room, her curly head tucked down comfortably under the rugs, she dreamed she heard a knocking on her door. The sound seemed faint at first, but grew louder, and after a minute she woke up, lifted her head, and listened. Yes, there was a tapping on her door, she heard it quite distinctly. She got up immediately, slipped into her fur coat and boots, and, taking one of her pistols in her hand, went to the door. That there was danger in answering such a summons at such an hour she knew quite well; but that did not hinder her. She was accustomed to live with her life in her hand, and she felt instinctively confident of being able so to hold it, and meant to keep a tight grip on it. When she opened the door it was to a vivid moonlight, clear and brighter than day; the whole white world was shining under it.

"Annie!" she exclaimed, as her eyes fell on the slight, feeble figure muffled in a blanket that stood on her step. "What is the matter? Come in;" and she put the door wide open and stood back for her to pass.

"Oh, Kat, c'," she said, seizing the other's hands when they stood inside the room, "forgive me for waking you; but I want Will. I feel I'm going to die to-night, and I can't without him—I can't!" and she burst into a flood of tears broken by short sobbing coughs.

She had slipped to her knees, and was holding Katrine's hands in her feverish clutch. The blanket had fallen from her head and shoulders, and showed to Katrine that she was still in the day dress; I told into seem as if she had been to bed at all. There was a dark, half-dried stain upon the front of her bodice.

"I'm dying! Oh, Katie, it's so dreadful all alone there! Will you go and bring Will to me? Oh, do!"

Katrine looked down upon her as she tried to raise her to her feet. The fire was still burning brightly and filled the room with light. Many people older than Katrine would have laughed at the woman's statement in face of her ability to come to them and make it, but Katrine's keen perceptions read much, too much, in the bright, pleased eyes that looked up at her, in the hoarse, grating tones that came from the sunken chest, and the feverish grasp of those burning fingers. She stooped down and put her arms round the kneeling figure and drew her up.

"Why, of course I will. I will bring him to you. But you are only ill, dear; you're not dying."

"Will! I want Will. I know; but if I should, and he not here. Katie, can you go now?—it's so late and so cold, and so far. I don't know how you can."

"He's working up on Mr. Wood's claim at the west gulch. I suppose if I go to Mr. Wood's cabin he can tell me where to find Will."

"Oh, yes, yes," returned Annie, eagerly, a crimson flush on her lightning cheeks. "Go straight to Mr. Wood and ask him for Will. One of Will's ponies is down here, back of our house; you can take him and ride up. Oh, it may kill you to go. I ought not to ask it. Oh, what shall I do?"

Katrine laughed.

"Kill me!" she said. "It would take more to kill me than that. I think, I shall be up there and Will down here before you know where you are. Now you're just got to drink this brandy while I go and get some things on. You're just fretting for Will; that's what is the matter with you. I believe you will feel all right when you see him again."

She put the trembling woman into a chair, and went back to her room to put her clothes on. She noticed that her boots, which had been damp the night before, had frozen to the ground, and she had to break them from it by force.

"I shall be lucky if I get back with my feet unfrozen," she thought to herself, looking regretfully at the warm bed, she had left; but it never once, even remotely, occurred to her to refuse the unwelcome mission. She put on all her thickest garments, buckled her pistols on her hip, and went back to Annie, who was crouching over the fire in the next room.

"I had better take the pony," she said. "He'll get on there and back quicker than I can walk, if you think the little animal is up to it."

Annie nodded.

"He's well fed," she said, "and has had nothing to do since Will's been gone."

Katrine shut the stove up, and the two women went out together.

It was a still dead cold without—the sort of night on which your limbs might freeze beyond recovery and without your knowing it, so insidious and so little aggressive was the cold.

"You go in and keep warm," said Katrine. "I'll find the pony and manage him;" and she pushed Annie gently within her own door, and went round to the shed at the back of the cabin where the pony was. Her hands in that short time had grown so stiff with cold she could hardly put the saddle on and fasten the girth and straps. The pony knew her, and pricked his ears and snorted while she was getting him ready. He had been idle in his stable two days, and by this time was willing to welcome any change in the monotony of life. When she had adjusted everything carefully by the light of the strong moon falling through the little window, she threw herself cross-leg upon his back and rode him out of the shed. Annie had her face pressed eagerly against the back window of her cabin, watching for her to appear. Katrine smiled at her, lifted her cap above her head for an instant as a man would do, and then the next moment was cantering away over the snowy waste that stretched behind Good Luck Row. She went at a good pace, urged on by that last glimpse of the pale face, with the terrible look of haunted fear on it, pressed to the window.

The temperature was very low, but the absence of wind and dampness in the air made the cold bearable. Katrine, haunted by the fear of frost-bite, kept pinching her nose and pulling her ears and beating her hands against the pony's side to keep the blood stirring in them. Inside the first half hour she was many scores of distance from the lights of Dawson, and nothing but great snowy stretches lay around her.

That night up at the west gulch it happened that neither Stephen nor Talbot had gone to bed. There was little to choose between them that day there, since half of the day hours are dark as the blackest night, and a man can sleep in them as profitably or more so, than in the moonlight hours of the night. Three o'clock in the morning had come, and the two men were still sitting talking on each side of the stove, with an opened whiskey bottle on the table between them, in Stephen's cabin, when the dull sound of a horse's footfall broke the blank silence of the gulch. Both sprung to their feet on the instant, and Talbot drew his pistol from his belt and stood listening with it in his hand.

"I always said we oughn't to keep our gold up here," said Stephen, and his face whitened.

Talbot held up his hand to enjoin silence, and they waited while the sound of the hoofs moving slowly over the treacherous and uneven soil came nearer. Then there was a pause, which seemed to the men inside endless. Then two distinct taps on the door. Talbot, who was nearer it, made a forward movement; but Stephen caught his arm.

"What are you going to do?" he whispered.

"Open it and fire," returned Talbot laconically; and he pushed back the latch and raised his revolver as he flung open the door.

Stephen was close behind him, and Talbot almost stepped upon him as he drew back with astonishment the next instant. Katrine jumped from the pony's back and stepped over the threshold without invitation.

"How lucky I am to find you up!" she exclaimed; and then seeing Talbot's hastily lowered revolver in his right hand, she burst out laughing. "So you were going to shoot, were you?" she said, drawing out her o's. "Well, I was quite ready—I have been all the ride. I am sorry I frightened you."

"Frightened us!" repeated the two men in a breath, with an indignant glance.

"Oh, no; of course I didn't mean that," rejoined Katrine, laughing. "Disturbed you, I should say. Oh, Stephen, give me some of that whiskey. I am almost dead with cold."

Her face did indeed look frozen white with cold under her fur cap, and her dark eyes shone in it with a liquid splendor that made Stephen's heart beat tumultuously against his side. He poured out some of the spirit for her and pushed her gently into a chair, coaxing to pull off her thick gloves of fur.

"I want Will Johnson," she said, with her customary directness. "Stephen, I've come up to fetch him. He's one of your men. Tell me where I can find him."

"What do you want with him at this time of night?" questioned Stephen, while Talbot silently extracted a plate of bread and bacon from the cupboard and put it on the table at her elbow.

"I don't want him for myself," she answered, mischievously. "His wife has sent me up to find him. She thinks she is dying, and wants to see him to-night. Where can I find him?"

"His cabin is a little higher up the gulch, but you mustn't go there; I will go after him," said Stephen, hastily.

"I don't know," replied Katrine; "I'd better ride up there and take him back home with me. hadn't I?"

"Ride back again to-night!" exclaimed Stephen. "What madness! It was bad enough to make the ride once. She mustn't think of it, must she, Talbot?" and he turned to his friend for corroboration.

"Certainly not, I should say," returned Talbot, in his quiet, but final way. "I will ride up to Johnson's place and send him down home, and you can make Katrine comfortable here."

The girl sprung to her feet.

"Why, what an idea!" she said, with a flush on her pale cheeks. "I only came to you to find Will. Of course I can't stay here all night."

"Your mission will be accomplished, won't it, if Will goes to his wife?" returned Talbot, quietly. "There is no need to risk your life again. There is no good in it. Besides, it will save time if you let Will have the pony at once to take him back. You can have one of ours in the morning."

She looked up at him. She admired Talbot exceedingly. His voice was so invariable gentle and quiet, so different from all the voices that she heard round her daily. Stephen's, though his resembled it had not the same curious accent of refinement. His manner, too, had the same extreme gentleness; and yet beneath this apparent softness she knew there existed a courage that equalled any in the whole camp. He looked very handsome, too, she thought, at the moment, as she met a soft smile in his eyes, and her tones were more hesitating as she repeated:

"I think I ought to return."

"Well, I'm going to dispatch Will for you," replied Talbot, turning away. I leave it to you, Stephen, to persuade her to stay," and he walked out.

A second later they heard the pony's hoofs going up the narrow trail past the cabin.

"You can have my room; I'll sleep here on the floor," remarked Stephen.

The girl got up.

"No," she said, in her most decided tone. "I'll stay if you let me sleep here on the floor, or I'll go home. Turn you out of your own comfortable bed I will not."

"Go home you can't," said Stephen, in an equally decided tone, "so I'll make up a bed here just in front of the stove."

He went into the next room, and Katrine, left alone, drank up her whiskey and ate some bread and cheese. It was not at all an interesting interior, and had not the faint suggestions of artistic taste that redeemed Talbot's. A few prints were on the walls, seemingly cut from illustrated papers, and principally consisting of views of cathedrals and school buildings, which Katrine's eyes wandered over without interest. At the furthest end from her there were some stout shelves nailed against the wall, and on these rested a row of flat tin pans; between the pans were pushed one or two books, and she recognized among them his Greek testament. She rose and strolled over to the shelf, and standing on tiptoe, looked into the pans. As she thought, they contained thin layers of gold dust. She was standing there looking into them when Stephen returned and came up behind her.

"They look fine, don't they?" he said. "That's a thirty-dollar pan."

(To be continued.)

BUT LAST WEEK SOMEONE FASTENED THE LATCH ON THE GATE FOR THE FIRST TIME IN YEARS.

Jimmy usually drives his goat full speed right at the back gate when it is closed and the goat always butts it open.

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# CONFESSIONS OF A WAR BRIDE

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## FOUR HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND CHAPTER.

### WOMEN WASTE SO MANY WORDS OVER FOOLISH THINGS IS MY THOUGHT.

"We had escaped so much that it wasn't humanly possible for us to survive more," the men seemed to say to each other. They looked at the sky, and the sea, and the barometer and at Chrys, who was stretched, collapsed and unconscious, in the bottom of the boat. They they regarded the friendly ship. Then they looked at me.

I spoke without waiting for their question:

"Bob! I must go to him. I must save him!" I said. "Take Chrys aboard the ship with you—go to Brazil—all of you. But I will stay here. Now that there is oil, I can make the harbor alone. I can run this boat. I have done so many times. I will take the risk—alone."

"Bravo! Bravo!" called the captain of the freighter, but his applause seemed a bit insincere, for he spoke earnestly to Travers in Spanish, and Travers translated his words.

"The captain says, Mrs. Lorimer, that you're taking a big chance. The storm may prove a hurricane. He agrees to put us aboard the first returning ship he meets. That may be to-night—an hour—"

"If there's a storm, he can't put us aboard another ship. It may be two days before we can be transferred. By that time, what will have happened to Bob?"

"We'll all stick to our little boat, thank you, captain," called out Jordan Spence.

"Wireless to shore for us, please," called Travers.

And so the friendly Freighter passed on and Travers got our engine to going, and soon we were riding waves which grew ever higher and higher, or were coasting down slopes of dark water which grew ever deeper and deeper while the atmosphere grew murkier.

Each wave, coming toward us, looked like the approach of our last adventure. As it passed beneath us and then preceeded us, we felt as if we had been resurrected from the grave. I lived a thousand years in the next few hours, for with each resurrection, I regretted the sacrifice I had permitted my good friends to make. I had let three persons besides myself risk their lives for Bob's sake. I had no right to permit such a sacrifice. I had been supremely selfish.

"This boat's a wonder. She floats like a chip," I heard Travers say.

It was supposed to be non-sinkable, I knew. Nevertheless I was glad to let the men strap a life preserver about me.

It was, after all, the coast guard that saved us. But being half-drowned all of the time and unconscious part of the time, I do not know the details of our rescue.

I "came to" at the life-saver's station, learned that we were all alive, and then went comfortably off to sleep, so exhausted that I did not give a single thought to my husband.

When I waked up with the feeling that I had strength to stay awake, I found myself in a hotel room. A nurse was watching at my side.

"My clothes," I demanded.

"Madame's clothes were ruined by the salt water," she answered. "But the gentlemen have ordered everything—for both ladies—from the best stores. "Madame has but to select—"

I writhed with impatience. Women waste so many words over foolish things.

"Bring something—anything—quickly!" I exclaimed. "Where is Miss Lorimer."

Chrys was in the next room and feeling well enough to talk. I didn't have any time to talk about the storm. It was enough that we were alive.

All I wanted was strength to get to the hacienda or will power to use as a substitute for strength. But first I had to have the details of what had happened at the hacienda before Chrys had come away.

(To be continued).

## VIRTUE UNREWARDED

### Luke Went to Church, Had Liquor Stolen.

Baltimore, March 15.—While Luke P. McGuire was at church last night three men with a small automobile truck made three trips to his home and hauled away five barrels of whiskey. McGuire places the conservative value of $1,250 on his lost stock.

A neighbor sat in the room of his home and watched the entire procedure, but as all of the lights in the McGuire home were burning it was thought that McGuire was home.

When McGuire returned from church he found the gate was open and started to investigate. The kitchen door was unlocked, but he found nothing disturbed until he went to the cellar, and then—gloom!

Client (just acquitted on burglary charge—Well, good-bye. I'll drop in on you sometime. Counsel—All right; but make it in the daytime, please.—Sydney Bulletin.

# TOTAL TIE-UP OF OLD BERLIN

## Complete Paralysis of All Capital's Activities

### When Workers Struck Against Von Kapp.

(A. P. Special Cable).

Berlin, March 16.—No world capital probably ever before experienced such a complete paralysis of all its living and commercial facilities as Berlin did yesterday. The Hotel Adler made heroic efforts to provide food for the British and French and American missions and newspaper correspondents, but it gave up the task at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, when the last of the kitchen force walked out, leaving foreigners to shift for themselves. It was a common spectacle subsequently to see frock coated diplomatists returning to the hotel from foraging expeditions carrying brown paper parcels, foodstuffs, oil stoves and other necessities.

Guests of the hotel, warned that the water would be shut off at noon, filled the bath tubs and wash stands, but defective stoppers gradually let out the precious fluid, and the guests thereafter had to rely on wines and table water.

The city yesterday afternoon had the appearance of another Sunday holiday, sauntering crowds filling Unter den Linden. At intervals troops, with bands, and accompanied by artillery and machine guns, paraded through the streets.

# INSULT TO PERU

## Bolivian Ex-Minister Heads Raid On Legation.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Lima, March 16.—The Peruvian Legation at La Paz, the Bolivian capital, was attacked last night by a mob of a thousand men, according to advices received this afternoon by the Peruvian Foreign Office.

The Peruvian Consulate and private residents of Peruvians, were also attacked, the despatches declare. The mob, the advices state, was headed by Foreign Minister Porras.

Feeling between Peru and Bolivia has been running high of late because of a sharp revival of the question of a sea outlet for Bolivia in the former Peruvian Province of Arica, one of the two provinces taken over by Chile as the result of the war of 1879-82. Peru has never relinquished her claim to those provinces, the title to which was to have been decided by a plebiscite. Chile remains in possession of them, however, as vote over has been taken, Chile and Peru each continuing to charge the other with responsibility for the failure to hold the plebiscite. Recently an agreement was reported to have been reached betwn Chili and Bolivia, under which Bolivia would be granted the port of Arica, in Arica Province, and Peru has formally protested to Bolivia against the grant

ALBERT GRIGG,
Deputy Minister of Lands and Forests in the Ontario Government service, whose dismissal was suggested by M. G. MacNamara, M.P.P., because of developments in the Kapuskasing inquiry.

## BRANTFORD ROBBER.

### Smashed in Jeweler's Window and Made Get-Away.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Brantford, Ont., March 16.—At 3.45 this morning Policeman Pickett, on his beat on Colborne street, heard breaking glass. He looked up and saw a short, stout man clean out Sam Fox's window of rings, watches and other jewelry, having used a ten inch stone to smash the plate glass. He chased the thief, but he ducked down to the canal, and, in the maze of outbuildings there, got lost. The loss will be considerable, though no valuable rings or diamonds had been left in the window.

The store of Sargos Agopian, Market street, was also robbed during the night, cigars and tobacco being taken. Agopian is serving a three months' sentence in the county jail for a breach of the O. T. A., and had locked up his store until his release. The loss will not be very heavy.

### Didn't Quite Understand.

Little John and his mother were visiting at the minister's house one day when John picked up a Testament from the table. The minister's wife said: "You must not play with that book, for it is God's book." A week later, while at the minister's home again, he spied the book and said: "Why doesn't God come and get his book?"

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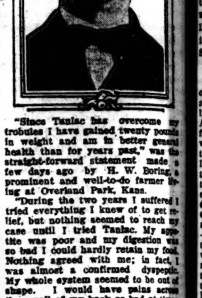
H. W. BORING, a well-to-do Kansas farmer, says he has gained twenty pounds in weight and is in better general health than he has been in years since taking Tanlac.



"Since Tanlac has overcome my troubles I have gained twenty pounds in weight and am in better general health than for many years past," was a straight-forward statement made a few days ago by H. W. Boring, prominent and well-to-do farmer living at Overland Park, Kans.

"During the two years I suffered I tried everything I knew of to get relief, but nothing seemed to reach my case until I tried Tanlac. My appetite was poor and my digestion was so bad I could hardly retain my food. Nothing agreed with me; in fact, I was almost a confirmed dyspeptic. My whole system seemed to be out of shape. I would have pains across the small of my back so bad at times I could hardly move around.

"My nerves were all unstrung and I would become upset at the least little thing. I seldom slept well at night, and, finally, became so weak and run-down that I lost weight rapidly. I was also troubled a great deal with catarrh and of mornings had to spend a half hour or more clearing up my head.

"This is just the condition I was in when I began taking Tanlac and it certainly has been a blessing to me. It just seemed to be made especially for my case. I improved from the very first. My digestion now is perfect and regardless of what I eat I never suffer any bad after effects.

"The pains across my back have entirely disappeared. The catarrh has left me, too, and my head is perfectly clear. I am no longer nervous or upset at the least trifle. I have gained my lost weight and am feeling better and stronger than I have in years. I am going to keep Tanlac in my house so it will be handy at all times."

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## MARCH BLIZZARD.

### One of West's Worst, Has Crippled Services.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Winnipeg, March 16.—As the result of one of the worst March blizzards ever experienced in the west, railway traffic and telegraph and telephone services are still badly crippled. The storm, starting late Sunday night and swept across prairie from Alberta reaching Winnipeg at noon yesterday.

West of Winnipeg the storm seems to have hit Brandon hard, while Regina reports the worst tie-up in years.

In Winnipeg the street railway service was being operated under difficulties.

## FAVOR WOOD.

### Minnesota Rep. Primaries Show Hoover Strong.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

St. Paul, Minn., March 16.—Minnesota's presidential preference primary, held last night in rain, sleet and snow storms of terrific gales, gave Major-General Leonard Wood a plurality of 4,000 votes over Senator Hiram Johnson, of California, on the face of available returns. Herbert Hoover, not an avowed candidate, received such strong support in St. Paul and Minneapolis that returns from 18 precincts showed him leading Governor Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, by more than 1,000 votes.

## PENSION WAR BONUS.

### Rowell Will Move for a Committee.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Ottawa, March 16.—By the Canadian Press.—Mr. N. W. Rowell has given notice that he will move to-morrow for discussion of a resolution "that the Speaker appointment of a special committee to consider the question of granting the war bonus now being paid to pensioners under the existing pension law, and to report to the House, with power to call for persons, papers and records, and to examine witnesses under oath, and to report from time to time."

### HOW TO POP CORN.

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### Woman's Brainiest Age.

A woman's brain reaches its greatest weight about the age of twenty-five, and is the same in the case of a man, this does not occur until ten years later. This explains the assertion that a woman at the age of twenty-one is in a better position to give a matured judgment than a man at the same age.

### Education Always Helps.

The success of the unlettered man is often argued to show that men do not need education. In special cases the truth may seem to be conclusive, but did you ever stop to inquire what the fellow might have become had he education added to his natural talents? He has succeeded in spite of a handicap and not because of it.

I came to the end of my strength before I came to the end of my journey.—Victor Hugo.

# DRURY FAVORS REFERENDUM ON LIQUOR IMPORTATION

## O. T. A. Cannot Be Effective While Interprovincial Trade Exists—Denies That Government is a Class Affair—Meets With Considerable Interruption—Mr. Tolmie on Election.

Toronto, March 17.—If Ontario is to be made completely "dry," it must be by a referendum on the importation of liquor, was the effect of Premier Drury's announcement in the Legislature yesterday, when he spoke in the debate on the reply to the speech from the Throne.

ENFORCING THE ACT.

"Frankly I am not satisfied with conditions as they exist at the present time," said the Premier. "I believe that the Ontario Temperance Act cannot be enforced in any satisfactory manner as long as interprovincial trade exists. How to meet these conditions is another matter. I do not believe that we can meet them by stepping over the bounds of the law and taking to ourselves powers that do not belong to us. But I do believe if the temperance people of this Province will come together and will agree to ask for something—and if they will consider carefully the measures that have been put forward to bring about proper enforcement—and decide on a programme, that this Government can do something, and that the people of this Province may well be appealed to to pronounce once more on inter-provincial trade. I believe the principle of referendum—of submitting the issue to the people—is very well established."

The Premier touched on many other matters, and criticised Hon. G. Howard Ferguson's remarks about Canada's relationship to the United States. He regretted that the Conservative leader should make such remarks. It was "almost a political crime," he said, "that any man should endeavor to stir up international animosity for political purposes." He touched on the eight-hour day and said the Government did not propose to be stampeded into any action on this great question. The Premier dwelt for some time on the history of the Farmers' movement, denying that it had sprung from dissatisfaction over the conscription issue. He also spoke of the roads policy and defended the separating of the Mines Department from Lands and Forests. Major Tolmie, Windsor, the only Liberal speaker of the day, declared that, despite all protestations, the Government was still a class Government. It could be nothing else. He appealed for greater freedom in sentimental matters and a loosening of the control from the centre.

PEOPLE WANT ACTION.

While it was quite true that in the elections of 1911 he and Mr. Dewart were on the same platform, Premier Drury declared: "My friend was on the platform because the party had taken up the cause. I was on the platform because I had been in the fight before the party took it up.

"I want at this stage to defend this movement and this organization which has sprung from it against the insinuation that the United Farmers of Ontario sprang from the anti-conscription field. That is not true. The organization was flourishing, was built on solid foundations, long before the conscription issue came into view. My own attitude on conscription is very well known. In 1917, when I found myself unfortunately a candidate by what was really a people's convention and in a position from what I could not with honor retire, my own attitude was that Canada was at that time committed to conscription, and the thing had to be carried through." He read a manifesto which he had issued to the press at that time, in which he declared that to his utter astonishment he had been informed that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had endorsed his candidature. "This was done," he wrote, "without my knowledge or consent, and indeed in direct opposition to my wishes. I cannot follow Sir Wilfrid Laurier if he proposes to repeal the Military Service Act or abandon our military forces at the front."

NOT A CLASS MOVEMENT.

He characterized as "unground-ed" the charge that the U.F.O. was a class movement. "When you find this Government proposes any class legislation," he declared, "it will be time enough to make that charge.

"We have made an honest attempt to get rid of patronage," he went on. "We are going to make a further attempt. We believe we can. You cannot get rid of the evils of patronage while you leave the member for the appointees' constituency. If the Angel Gabriel represented the purest constituency in Ontario he could not recommend in a manner disinterested a man for public appointment. (Applause from both sides of the House).

"We invite the co-operation of the gentlemen on the other side of the House," Hon. Mr. Drury continued. "We invite you to come to us with your suggestions. We invite full and free discussion in the House of these suggestions, and I think among us we can loosen up a whole lot of these unreasonable Parliamentary rules that have grown up more in the last forty years than ever before when the House has resolved itself into two cast-iron sections."

The Premier proceeded to twit Hon. Messrs. Dewart and Ferguson with their apparent anxiety to introduce monkey wrenches and claw hammers into legislative machinery at the very outset of the session. He confessed his regret that he had not seen in either address from the other side of the House any promise of co-operation with the Government. "Of course," he commented, "I did not greatly wonder at it." Mr. Dewart he accused of introducing a lot of extraneous matter for no other purpose than "to stir up feeling, embarrass progress, and to draw a red herring across the trail."

Premier Drury said he did not think that the eight-hour day principle could be introduced as a Provincial enactment. In his opinion it would have to be Dominion, interprovincial, even international, because it was conceivable to him that capital would leave a nation with eight-hour day legislation for a neighboring nation in which the regulation was not on the statute books. In considering the question, with which he was in hearty sympathy, the Government would move with all care and precaution. He was not going to be stampeded on the issue, nor was his Government nor the Labor members in the House. "I will ask the honorable gentlemen opposite not to try to stampede the Government on this issue."

SHOULD AVOID ANIMOSITY.

Thunderous applause from the U. F.O. seats greeted his criticism of Hon. Mr. Ferguson for emphasizing and enlarging upon issues which tended to create antagonism between this country and the great friendly nation to the south. "Speaking most seriously," he said, "I regard it as one of the greatest political faults that can be committed, amounting almost to a political crime, that any man or group of men, for political purposes, should endeavor to stir up international animosity. I hope, for the credit of this House, that no more reference will be made to anything that will stir up a feeling that is too easily stirred up, international animosity."

He reviewed the position of the Ontario Temperance Act, declaring that on January 1st last, "without any warning, without demand, the Dominion Government saw fit to withdraw that order in Council, and immediately the act upon which the people of Ontario passed so, manifestly found itself in a bad position."

"I believe the principle of referendum to the people is very well established. It is right that the people should also pass by popular vote on the principle of prohibition of interprovincial trade necessary to enforce the Ontario Temperance Act. I do not believe this Government or any other Government, once having dictated the principle of referendum, should step beyond the will of the people. I would like to see some means by which this great question can be referred to the people and got through with once and for all."

Then the Premier proceeded to justify the actions of the Government in the granting of export warehouse permits, quoting legal opinions to justify its course. The Government, he said, could not prevent the establishment of warehouses. Mr. Dewart interrupted to ask if the Premier realized that in granting these certificates the Government was creating interprovincial trade between Manitoba and the West. Mr. Drury replied that the Dominion Government could grant the permits in any case, to which the Opposition Leader responded: "Then why not let the Dominion take the responsibility?"

Premier Drury—If we refuse the bonded warehouses, then we still have the unbonded warehouses to face. Our legal opinion, second from Mr. Sanders, if he is a good legal adviser—

Mr. Dewart—I think he is not.

Hon. Mr. Ferguson—Is it not true that there has been an understanding with the Dominion Government, who have said to the Provincial authorities. "If you desire to suppress this drinking in the Province we will enable you to carry out the Provincial sentiment on that subject and we won't issue any licenses?"

Premier Drury—I understand that is so.

FACES A LILEMMA.

Mr. Dewart—Then why grant the certificates?

Premier Drury—Because we will face the other question of unbonded warehouses. I believe we will go further along prohibitive lines than the gentlemen on the other side of the House.

Mr. Dewart—We have heard too much of that slander in the last campaign. The Liberal party stands four-square for everything that is in this line of thought.

Mr. Ferguson asked if the Premier were not aware that the Government could effectively cope with the drink question by legislating the amount of drink a man might have in his possession, but Premier Drury was impelled to proceed with his address by the impatient "Go on" of his followers behind him.

Premier Drury then dealt with the road policy of the Government, the 18,000 miles of Provincial-county "loy" roads. A policy of constructive maintenance which would keep them passable and build up to permanence would be inaugurated. The general scheme was a linking up of "market roads" to get a good road to every farmer's gate.

DEFENDS MINES DEPARTMENT.

Defending the establishment of a separate Department of Mines, the Premier said that other provinces with that industry of less important than it is in Ontario had separate departments. He pointed out that Sir James Whitney had suggested it, but that it had been dropped.

The forestry policy of the past had not been conducive to a perpetuation of the forests, the replacement of the pulpwood trees and the harvesting of timber wealth from the provincial reserves instead of allowing it to rot would be a big job. In the Mining Department he thought it possible to increase the revenue and yet stimulate the industry.

Speaking of helping the returned men, Major Tolmie, who followed the Premier, said: "If we feel that the Dominion is not doing its full share towards the returned men, it is up to us to supplement what is done by the Federal authorities. Regarding this Kapuskasing affair, it makes my blood boil to think that such treatment was given the boys who went over and fought for us. It is a downright, crying shame that this terrible blunder should have been made. This is not the way to treat the men who were told on the recruiting platforms that they would be looked after and would get anything they wanted. The whole thing is rotten and ought to be cleaned up."

He told the Government that it could not get away from the fact that it was a class Government and that there would be class legislation. "It is legislation by a class, and not legislation for Ontario," said Major Tolmie. "Above all other classes I love the returned soldiers, but I would not put them in power as a class Government if I could do so by raising my finger. I do not believe in class Government. We can never get sanity in legislation until all feel that they have a part in it. We are not living up to democracy in Government by a class, even if it thinks of all other classes. It runs contrary to all the principles of British Government."

The Opposition, he said, were the constitutional critics, but they were not for captious, factious fault-finding, but came rather as constructive critics—to point out improvements, if possible. (Government applause.) Yet the full responsibility was on the Government. "We have gone too far to turn back on responsible Government," said the member for Windsor.

"The bureaucracy of the system is the great wrong," said the speaker, regarding education. "It is so miserably confined and cabined by the central control. We must get a broader spirit and let localities have more play under a general supervision."

Charles McCrae (Sudbury) spoke of the needs of the North, and particularly of the mining industry. The Opposition, he said, would be with the Government in anything which made for the further progress of the North country.

Hon. Manning Doherty moved adjournment of the debate.

A LUMINOUS HAT.

Paris, March 16.—A lace hat built on a phosphorescent frame startled the diners in one of the most fashionable restaurants in the Champs Elysees last night. The beautiful weather has brought a return to dining in the open air and in the pale evening light the effect of the novel head dress was that of a halo.

In spite of the labor unions, the wages of sin are not yet regulated by an eight-hour day.


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# KAPP QUITS THE STRUGGLE AND EBERT IS THE VICTOR

## German President Refused to Negotiate With Revolters and Won the Day

## Hindenburg Urged Kapp to Withdraw the Troops From Berlin

Berlin, March 16.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg has sent a telegram to Dr. Wolfgang Kapp, urging him to withdraw his troops and restore the constitution.

At the same time Hindenburg sent a message to Friedrich Ebert, de jure National President, advising him of his telegram to Dr. Kapp, and appealing to Ebert to consider the question of national elections.

Former Minister of Finance Helfferich also refuses to support the Kapp Government.

The Imperial Finance Ministry today refused to turn over 10,000,000 marks for current expenditure in the payment of the troops, as demanded by Chancellor Kapp.

President Ebert has notified all financial departments that the honoring of Kapp's demands for money will be regarded as treason. Deputy Finance Minister Moesl has left Berlin.

The Imperial Office for the Distribution of Cereals has issued an ultimatum demanded the resignation of Chancellor Kapp within 24 hours, the despatch says.

Berlin, March 16.—Chancellor Kapp, head of the Government at Berlin, formally resigned to-night in favor of President Ebert. Efforts to form a Kapp Ministry have been abandoned.

Dr. Kapp did not find the support he had looked for, and, while the hold of his Government on the administrative activities grew daily weaker, the strength of President Ebert and his supporters, including the members of the National Assembly at Stuttgart, increased materially, so that his return to Berlin at an early date was certain in any event.

That Dr. Wolfgang Kapp had virtually reached the end of his resources, so far as concerns himself as head of the revolutionary movement, was evidenced by the fact that he is said to have been ready to retire since Saturday, but was persuaded by Colonel Bauer, leader of the Royalist party, and Major-General Ludendorff to remain.

Those who optimistically believed Ebert might enter into negotiations with the Berlin Government were disappointed to learn to-day that no definite negotiations were under way, though the basis of agreement, as outlined yesterday by the Kapp faction, seemed to afford an opportunity for the two contending Governments to enter into a discussion.

President Ebert's firm grip on administrative affairs in Berlin was indicated by the fact that the Imperial Finance Minister, by his orders, refused to turn over the money necessary for the payment of the troops, demanded by the revolutionary Chancellor, and the Under-Secretaries of the various Ministries, as well as other officials, have absolutely refused to take their orders from the Kapp Government. Some of them quit Berlin.

The general strike proclaimed, not only in Berlin, but throughout Germany, is more pronounced to-day than ever, with the result that thousands are feeling the pinch of hunger and the Socialist and Labor leaders are urging that this weapon be used in its full force in behalf of the constitutionalists.

Capital punishment has been decreed by Major-Gen. von Luettwez for those fomenting strikes or exercising passive resistance in any vital service. This decree was declared to be effective after four o'clock this afternoon, but it is considered questionable whether this threat will be put into operation. With the extension of the strike and the determination of the strikers, that would mean serious bloodshed.

Already it has been estimated that sixty were killed in yesterday's fighting, although this figure is semi-officially denied. And there were fatal collisions to-day in the neighborhood of Potsdamer Platz.

The Association of German Officials resolved at a meeting yesterday to strike unless the new government retires. The printers are still on strike, and as the gas supply has been cut off, no newspaper can appear.

The officials of all the Imperial State Services have been ordered to resume their duties immediately. Otherwise, they are threatened with discharge without pensions. Severe regulations have also been issued against illicit traders and profiteers, although the population now is dependent on this class of people.

MAX HARDEN ARRESTED.

Maximilian Harden, editor of Die Zukunft was arrested to-day.

Advices from Munich say that Heinrich Ernst Mueller, of Meiningen, a Democrat, was entrusted yesterday with the task of forming a new government.

Nine are dead and a number wounded as a result of street fighting here during the night. The cracking of rifles was continuous in various parts of the city, notably on the Leipziger Platte (one of Berlin's great public squares), in the centre of the city, about the Hallesches Tor (Gate), and at the Tegel and Stettiner railway stations, in the northern part of Berlin.

PLATFORM OF INDEPENDENTS.

The Independent Socialist party, the Trades Union leaders and the Workmen's Council, who in co-operation have been engineering the general strike in Germany, have issued the following joint proclamation:

"The counter-revolution has triumphed. It is through you that the freedom of the working classes, the revolution and the cause of Socialism must be defended to the last man and the last woman.

"Every worker and every official in this hour of destiny must recognize there is only one solution, namely, a general strike along the whole front.

"Workmen, work women, and officials.

"Away with party distinctions.

"Be united under the standard of revolutionary Socialism.

"You have nothing to lose except your chains."

A fleet of airplanes left Berlin today to scatter pamphlets for the new Government, according to an Amsterdam despatch to the Evening News.

The American army of occupation at Coblenz, numbering 15,000 men, is being issued full field equipment, and under orders issued by the German revolution. There have been no movements, however, to reinforce any positions, or any military activities except those concerned with policing the occupied territory.

The total Allied forces along the Rhine are estimated at slightly more than 100,000 men.

The boatmen and dockers on the Rhine have struck in protest against the coup of the Kapp Government.

BAVARIAN SITUATION.

The Diet held a brief session this afternoon in order to receive the resignation of the Government. President Schmidt read the following declaration from the commander-in-chief:

"The superior command gives the fullest guarantee that the overflow of the Diet is planned neither for to-day nor for a later date by any part whatsoever of the garrison of Munich."

OSLER MEMORIAL MEETING.

Baltimore, M.D., March 16.—A memorial meeting to the late Sir William Osler, regius professor of medicine at Oxford, and for many years professor of Medicine at Johns Hopkins, will be held Monday afternoon at the latter University. Addresses will be made by Henry Van Dyke and others.


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# LATEST SPORTING NEWS

BASKETBALL BOWLING HOCKEY CURLING

## Tom Halligan Hopes to Make Flint Best Mint League City

### Will Provide Good Club in Order to Arouse Interest This Year

Flint, March 16.—Just how seriously Owner Tom J. Halligan is taking organized baseball in this city, the largest of the American end of the Michigan-Ontario Baseball League, is emphasized in the fact that in order to place as strong a team as possible in the field for the opening of the season, which takes his club to Hamilton early in May, he has arranged to provide precautions to have them physically fit by training his big squad at Lafayette, Ind.

A spring training trip in the South is a departure from the usual precedent in this section, though the Vehicle City is well known over the continent as the centre of a baseball fandom, dating many years back. Mr. Halligan hopes to revive old days of diamond rivalry and interest among the newcomers to this city, which has grown in the last five years like no other city in the United States. Interest in baseball, though everyone has become inoculated with the idea of coming here to make money and make it faster than anywhere else, must not ebb. Diversion of some kind and sitting in the bleachers or grand stand seems to be the choice variety of the American worker and business man, and must not be lost sight of as part of enjoying, all the more, this earning time.

THRONGS OF YOUNG PEOPLE.

"This ought to be the best baseball loving community in the country," said a recent visitor to Mr. Halligan, "with so many young, ambitious citizens in the town. Why, Saginaw avenue in the evening and on Saturdays and Sundays is a close rival to the main thoroughfares of any big American metropolis."

Mr. Halligan has the confidence of the directors of the M.-O. League to make Flint a close rival to the best cities on the Ontario wing as an enthusiastic baseball town as well as a thriving bees' nest of hustlers of the realm. He means to give Flint as good a baseball club as money can procure, on that any fan would be proud to cheer for and sponsor.

His capable manager, James Pierce, is already at Perdue University, where he finds ample time to corral experienced ball tossers, when he is not actually engaged in providing Perdue's baseball aspirants as coach.

SIGNS TWO SCOTCH HURLERS.

Getting down to bare facts, Mr. Halligan partially disclosed what Pierce's efforts during the winter towards getting a ball team really amount to. Two highly recommended left-hand pitchers named McGregor and McConnell, have been plucked from the noted Carnegie League, of Pittsburg. These two laddies, whose ancestors came from the heather purpled ol' sod, may yet live to add fame to the land whence came Johnny Walker, Harry Lauder and the into Andrew himself, but in a different way. Just so different as it is odd to see a "Mack" in a box score not 'phoned in.

Mr. McGregor, a right-handed pitching giant, who stands six foot six, has also been landed. He was with Muskegon before he enlisted.

The fourth member of the heaving quartette now in town is none other than Red Hayes, who won 500 of his games for Flint last year. Red is bound to have a good year in the trenches, as he hurls "high explosive" bombs.

Ted Anderson, who was with the Chicago White Sox in 1914, and whose career as a big leaguer, though ever so promising, was cut-short on account of a broken ankle, has been signed to cover first base.

Dolly Gray, formerly with Grand Rapids, will play second base. Dolly is getting back into the game after serving overseas as well.

Short Stopper Brown, who has enjoyed turning down offers to go south with several major league clubs, on account of his experience in the Class AA leagues as a third basemen, has been hired to fill that capacity here.

1919 OUTFIELDERS SIGN.

Glad tidings to the last come with the announcement that Trefry and F. Wetzel will be two of the outgardeners, and possibly Orme, too, will be back, though there are several deals pending which might wind up in pastures.

The exhibition games have been arranged at Lafayette with South Bend, the Cuban A. B. C. of Indianapolis, and University of Perdue.

Lest overlooked, Mr. Halligan expressed enthusiasm over purchasing Catcher McDaniels, of the Saginaw champions. He also contemplates a scrimmage under instructions where he finds ample time to corral experienced ball tossers, when he is not actually engaged in providing Perdue's baseball aspirants as coach.

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## Capable Lightweights Are Seeking Crown Now Held by Benny Leonard

### Willie Jackson and Lew Tendler Look Like Best Two at Present Time

New York, March 17.—The lightweight division of pugilism in this country is the only class in which the crown of the champion is menaced by formidable contenders for the honors. It does not follow that any one of the eight or ten lightweights now in action would be able to wrest the title from Benny Leonard, but it cannot be denied that the list of aspirants contains several boxers of the first rank. Should Leonard decide to retire, as frequently has been reported, the competition for the title would develop a series of the greatest lightweight contests ever seen in America.

As the case stands now there is a very pretty scramble in progress among the 135 pounders for the honor of a meeting with the champion.

While Jackson, of New York, and Lew Tendler, of Philadelphia, appear to be in the lead at the present time, and as there is a strong probability of a contest between them, the question as to the identity of Leonard's next title bout may soon be determined.

There is considerable question as to the relative merits of Jackson and Tendler. They have met twice in the ring, and, while the Quaker received the award on points in each bout, the performance of the New Yorker was such as to create the impression that under different conditions he might be more successful. Jackson's work against Dundee showed that the Bronx youngster now is boxing and hitting in the best form of his career, and that he would be a dangerous opponent for the peerless Leonard. Tendler, who until recently was a heavy featherweight, has filled out and now looks like a genuine 135-pounder. In recent bouts with boys of mediocre ability, his left hand blows were delivered with accuracy and knockout force.

There can be no question that a contest between Tendler and Jackson would be one of the most interesting that possibly could be arranged, and the promoter who put it off would assure himself of popular approbation.

Certain features of the previous contests between the latter and the impression that the friendly feeling between managers of the boxers had militated against the exertion of the best efforts of the pugilists when they entered the ring. With a match for the title hinging on victory it is unlikely that either of the boys would withhold the full force of his blows.

One thing that Jackson and Tendler should at once do is to stop the senseless twaddle about fighting for the title at 133 ringside. The limit of the class all over the world is 135 pounds, and Dundee is the only lightweight in the country who can now weigh below 135 under ordinary circumstances.

The International Boxing Union has set the weight of the lightweight class at 135 pounds, and this weight will be strictly enforced in all foreign countries.

The Army, Navy and Civilian Board of Boxing Control has named 135 pounds as the limit of the class, and this weight will be official in this State if the Walker bill passes.

A majority of the bouts for the lightweight title in America were fought at 135 pounds or more, and Leonard, the present champion, won his honors from Welsh at 135 pounds.

Therefore, for Tendler, Jackson and Dundee to keep grating about 133 pounds for the lightweight limit is both illogical and stupid.

Dundee as a contender for the title received a severe setback in his contest with Jackson, and while not completely eliminated was sent far to the rear. The Italian will have a difficult time rehabilitating himself pugilistically, which is made doubly hard through his inability to hit with effect.

Dundee's chief drawback has been ineffectiveness. He is a strong, rugged c p, quick on his feet and combative, but he has never shown ability to win decisively, either as a featherweight or a lightweight. He had Kilbane in front of him in the early rounds, but could make no impression on the featherweight champion, and his bouts with Welsh and Leonard have been lacking in execution. Dundee is a spectacular performer, but he is the least dangerous of all the contenders for the title.

Ritchie Mitchell, of Milwaukee, who a few years ago was stopped by Leonard in seven rounds, has reinstated himself through his stopping of Lew Edwards, lightweight champion of Australia, in seven rounds, and should have a trial against Leonard. Mitchell is a very clever boxer with a heavy punch, and the general opinion is he was not against the title holder before he was sufficiently seasoned. A match between Dundee and Mitchell in this vicinity would be well worth seeing.

Joe Welling, who has been a persistent challenger of Leonard, should be considered, for while he lacks the cleverness of Tendler and Jackson he has an effective punch.

Eddie Fitzsimmons, Dan Morgan's entry in the lightweight stakes, cannot be ignored, for he has showing hitting ability of a destructive quality. Fitzsimmons has much to learn in regard to boxing, but he is a fighter, and will be heard from later on.

It is high time for Benny Valger to cease masquerading as a featherweight and get into the lightweight division where he belongs. By so doing he will not subject himself to the loss of any additional one thousand dollar bills for failure to make weight. Just how Valger would fare against the other contenders in the lightweight division is problematical, but he should make the effort. There are no featherweights in America worth the name, and Valger, if he is classy as his fond manager claims, is wasting his valuable time in the featherweight class.

## Jimmy Wilde May be Seen in Action Here

### British Champion Will Also Box in Toronto

Windsor, March 16.—Arrangements for the appearance of Jimmy Wilde, flyweight champion of the world, in Windsor, under the auspices of the local unit of the Army and Navy ex-Veterans of Canada, have been placed in the hands of a sports committee of veterans.

Wilde, himself a member of the Army and Navy organization, may also box at Toronto and Hamilton, as officials of the veterans' association in those cities have already asked the Windsor unit to confirm the report that Wilde had signed to give an exhibition here.

A representative of the Windsor veterans left to-night for Toronto to feel out the situation there, with a view of staging a bout in that city. Telegrams received by Secretary Stewart, of the Windsor unit, from the Secretary of the Provincial Commabl. state that Toronto fans are very eager to see Wilde in action.

Paris, March 16.—Charles Ledoux, bantamweight champion of Europe, to-night knocked out Johnny Coulin, the former American champion, in the sixth round.

## Knocking Down the Ten Pins

Last night at the Brunswick alleys in the Business Men's League, the Kiwanis II. took two games from the Wovaloids, and the Sovereigns made it nine straight wins by taking three from the Kiwanis I. Alexander was the star performer with 495. Howard second with 459. The scores:

BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.

| Wovaloids (won one) | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tuck | 111 | 116 | 80 | 307 |
| Towers | 101 | 142 | 122 | 366 |
| Battram | 106 | 143 | 168 | 417 |
| Palmer | 106 | 115 | 129 | 360 |
| MacKenzie | 149 | 133 | 145 | 427 |
| Totals | 573 | 650 | 654 | 1877 |
| Kiwanis II. (won two) | | | | |
| Taylor | 120 | 128 | 147 | 395 |
| Truman | 86 | 94 | 90 | 270 |
| Chadwick | 92 | 129 | 120 | 341 |
| Garvin | 147 | 102 | 141 | 391 |
| Walsh | 102 | 124 | 129 | 355 |
| Handicap | 56 | 56 | 56 | 168 |
| Totals | 603 | 634 | 683 | 1920 |
| Sovereigns (won three) | | | | |
| Broderick | 147 | 110 | 143 | 400 |
| *Sinclair | 91 | 134 | 103 | 328 |
| Alexander | 136 | 167 | 192 | 495 |
| Patterson | 111 | 147 | 175 | 433 |
| Howard | 156 | 181 | 122 | 459 |
| Totals | 641 | 739 | 735 | 2115 |
| Kiwanis II. | | | | |
| La France | 95 | 138 | 128 | 361 |
| Johnston | 103 | 129 | 112 | 354 |
| W. D. Smith | 85 | 91 | 105 | 281 |
| Edginton | 107 | 143 | 147 | 397 |
| Collins | 116 | 116 | 149 | 481 |
| Handicap | 13 | 13 | 13 | 39 |
| Totals | 519 | 693 | 654 | 1866 |

*Coombe replaced Sinclair in the second game.

Last evening the boys from the Fixture Dept. of the Tallman Brass & Metal Co. held their weekly five pin contest. The White Bangs dispsyied good form against their opponents, the Bon Amis, and grabbed three out of the four games, while the Strikers had an even break with the Humdingers, each winning two games. W. Towns, of the Humdingers, had high quadruple score, with 731, also high single with 204. The respective scores follow:

| Bon Amis— | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| H. Beresford | 88 | 129 | 181 | 150 | 548 |
| J. Neiderer | 124 | 122 | 85 | 113 | 444 |
| A. Hunt | 161 | 169 | 137 | 104 | 571 |
| T. McDougall | 153 | 165 | 89 | 155 | 553 |
| Totals | 526 | 615 | 462 | 522 | 2116 |
| Whizz Bangs— | | | | | |
| A. Evans | 175 | 149 | 92 | 118 | 534 |
| R. Sinclair | 145 | 157 | 155 | 190 | 647 |
| C. Reichfeld | 154 | 113 | 87 | 150 | 604 |
| H. Weber | 110 | 97 | 157 | 191 | 555 |
| Totals | 584 | 508 | 491 | 649 | 2333 |
| Strikers— | | | | | |
| Clark | 176 | 90 | 150 | 146 | 562 |
| Johnston | 138 | 161 | 152 | 161 | 612 |
| Brewer | 160 | 84 | 97 | 152 | 494 |
| Roberts | 147 | 167 | 143 | 111 | 568 |
| Totals | 621 | 502 | 542 | 571 | 2236 |
| Humdingers— | | | | | |
| Thomson | 143 | 170 | 148 | 134 | 595 |
| Myers | 171 | 161 | 144 | 139 | 615 |
| Brewer | 118 | 122 | 133 | 112 | 485 |
| Towns | 152 | 182 | 204 | 183 | 721 |
| Totals | 584 | 635 | 629 | 568 | 2416 |

## Martin Won

Springfield, Mo., March 17.—Bob Martin, heavyweight champion of the American Expeditionary Force, knocked out "Dummy" West, of Seattle, in the third round here last night.

## Sporting Comment

There is a movement on foot at the present time to have Jimmy Wilde exhibit his wares here against Bobby Eber and if local promoters are successful, the bout will be staged at the Lyric theatre in two weeks' time. Wilde is willing to give an exhibition here, but chances are that he would produce his own opponent who might be none other than one of his sparring partners, and those behind the show figure Eber would be a much better drawing card. They wired Wilde to this effect this morning, and are waiting for an answer.

Hank Woods is to put on a boxing show for Beaver Lodge, K of P., on Tuesday night, next, and will use every boy in his stable including Kennedy. Irish would up his training on Monday and left for Jamestown yesterday afternoon for the purpose of meeting a Syracuse boy in a ten-round tilt there to-night.

Hamilton will be well represented at to-night's hockey game in Toronto between Sudbury and Granites, and needless to relate, they will be pulling for the former. "Shorty" Green is a popular boy here, and the fans are anxious to see his team win the Allan Cup and the trip to Belgium.

Jack Dempsey is coming East in three weeks, according to Jim Mason, the manager of Harry Greb, who still insists that Dempsey and Greb are to meet in a ten-round bout at Buffalo on May 31. If Dempsey does meet Greb it may turn out to be a poor match for the champion... Greb, a near middleweight, has been having trouble holding his own with second raters, so that the fans will expect the champion to polish him off without half trying. But Greb may turn out to be a surprise. He is an extremely awkward fellow, who has a style very much like that of Willie Meehan, the Frisco fat boy, who always has been successful in baffling Dempsey.

Babe Ruth, the slugger of the Yankees, is out of sorts with the world at large, and goes about the hotel nursing a grouch. Babe declares that he has not been able to meet the ball squarely yet. Against Brooklyn on last Saturday, he lifted one over the right field wall, a wallop that would have been good for a home run on the Polo Grounds, but the strong quartering wind carried it foul by forty feet. However, Babe will come along all right, and then the homers will creep into the box scores.

## Tigers Faded Says Bobby in Telegram

### Had No System, No Sting, No Leader

Toronto Telegram.—Granites are senior O. H. A. champions. They beat Hamilton at the Arena last night, 6 to 2—one of the latter an Odley Morden goal. It took nineteen minutes of the opening period to count the first goal and die up the round, but then, and after, Granites were the faster, stronger, better team backward or forward.

NEVER ANY DOUBT.

There was never any doubt as far as the play was concerned. Tigers' supporters lived in the hope that the Granites would slow up in the second period and crack in the third. They did neither in either period, and the farther they went the more superior they became, until in the last ten minutes, and probably more, the Mountaineers were a soundly beaten team. Nobody knew it any better than the players, and their work lacked heart—mirroring their state of mind.

CLOSE, HARD CHECKING.

Hamilton demonstrated once again that they can't stand up under close checking. Granites stuck to them and bumped them, though the game was no time rough, and that was the beginning and the ending of the contest.

The Curlers' forward line completely stopped the rushes of the visitors before they got going, halting the man with the puck and covering up all others. It smashed the one-time brilliant passing game that Hamilton showed this winter and made them look helpless and hopeless. They were killed off at centre ice, and anything that did manage to trickle through was gathered into the fatherly arms of Laflamme and Fox. Hamilton never once drew the goal-tender, and never once succeeded in beating them clean, either singly or in pairs.

TIGERS FADED.

Tigers faded disappointingly. It was a foregone conclusion that they could scarcely win, but few looked for them to fade so completely. They were a well-balanced team, fast, aggressive and clever, when they won their district. Last night they finished like a rabble with no system, no sting and no leader. As for aggressiveness, they had little or none at any time in the game, though there was no sign of that yellowness that showed in Hamilton. Reid and Reier were the only two visitors who stuck to it to the finish and fought it out all the way.

## Volley Ball

Last night at the invitation of Mr. Barker of the Cosmopolitan Club the "Y"—Dormats under Capt. I.C. Crawford engaged the Cosmopolitan Volley Ball team on the old Hotel Ball End "Y" floor. Four spirited games were played the East Hamilton boys winning the first and third while the Dormats walked away the second and fourth games. Lack of time prevented the deciding game from being played. Coffee and cake concluded a pleasant visit and the Dormats thoroughly enjoyed the hospitality shown to them.

## Yankees Won From Champions

Miami, March 17.—Superior pitching accounted for yesterday's 9 to 0 victory of the Yankees over the world champion Cincinnati Reds. Shawkey and Quinn delivered the pitching.

## Many Canucks on American Hockey Team

### That Will Represent U. S. at Olympic Games

Pittsburg, March 17.— The personnel of the American hockey team to be sent to the Olympic games at Antwerp, in April has been announced here by Roy D. Schooley, manager. Twelve players will go from Europe, according to present plans, Mr. Schooley announced, although it is possible the number may be increased to fourteen. The following men have been named:

Forwards—"Joe" McCormick, "Larry" McCormick and Herb Drury, of Pittsburg; Goheen and Conroy, of St. Paul; Geran and Synott, of Boston.

Defencemen—Gaul and Tuck, of Boston; Fitzgerald, of St. Paul.

Goal— Bonney, of Pittsburg. The second choice for goal tender lies between Weidenborner, of St. Paul and Lacroix, of Boston, and will be announced later.

Two more players may be added later, as it is the intention to include Manners and McCrimmon, of Pittsburg. If they can be proved to be eligible. Eddie Nagle, of Ottawa, captain of the Pittsburg team, would have been appointed captain of the All-American team if he had been able to make the trip, but he graduates from the University of Pittsburg very soon, and could not take the time off.

Exhibition games will be played here in order to raise the money needed for the trip to Europe.

Under the rules of the International Olympic Committee athletes must compete for countries of which they are natives. Earl Thompson, who recently set a new world's record in the 120 yards high hurdles as a member of an American team will compete for Canada. Several athletes who have been riding in the States have recently returned to their native lands to try for places on the team, representing their respective countries.

Joe and Larry McCormick are from Buckingham, Que. Drury is from Midland, Ont.; Bonney is from Ottawa; Lacroix and Manners are also from the Capital, while McCrimmon hails originally from Brockville.

## Ottawa Meet Seattle Team Monday Night

### In First Game For World's Title

Ottawa, March 17.—The Ottawa and Seattle hockey teams, champions respectively of the National Hockey Leag ue and the Pacific Coast Hockey Association, will come together at the Laurier avenue arena on Monday night in the first game of the series to decide the world's honors and possession of the Stanley Cup. This was definitely announced last night. The Seattle hockey team, which defeated Vancouver for the Western honors, is now on its way east. Following their victory over Vancouver, the Seattle players packed up and left for Ottawa yesterday afternoon.

The American city sextette has never played in the capital and as Holmes, Walker, Foyston, Rowe, Nichols and others are well known in the East, there is no doubt that they will prove just as magnetic as Vancouver would have been. Interest in the world's series is already great, and a capacity crowd will throng into the arena for the first game next Monday.

## Varsity Won First Game From Sons of Ireland

### Intercollegiate Champions Two Goals Up—Visitors Minus Their Star— Score Was 6-4

Toronto, March 17.—If the form shown by the University of Toronto and Sons of Ireland teams in their Allan Cup elimination game here last night is any indication of their real strength, both can be safely counted in the running for the championship. The Blue and White won by 6 to 4, but at no time did they show the form that carried them to the top in the intercollegiate senior race. The second and deciding fixture will be played to-morrow night, and with Laroche back in the line-up the Quebec title-holders expect to overcome the lead.

The University team back checked more consistently, and with better results than did the visitors, but they were away off in their shooting and passing. The Sons of Ireland goalkeeper played poorly, and had the locals been shooting at all accurately they would probably have won by a half-dozen goals.

Laroche, who with McNaughton, shares the honor of being the best player on the Quebec team, was unable to play owing to injuries, and the visitors were badly handicapped by his absence, and by the fact that they had no substitute to replace him. He will be back in the line-up to-morrow night, and, according to Manager Conlon, his return will ensure victory for the Green and White.

CROWD SMALL.

Considering that it was an Allan Cup game, and that Sons of Ireland came here heralded as a formidable team, the crowd that attended was small. The noise and tumult that featured the game on the previous night were conspicuous by their absence, and the teams playing for Morlow the form expected received little encouragement.

Coach Frank Carroll trotted out his regular team, with Carson and Westman in reserve. Westman did not get a chance to show his wares, but Carson was called upon frequently, and he was just as good as any other man on the ice. The defence, composed of McIntyre and Ramsay, checked well, but was somewhat lax when scrimmages occurred around their net. The visitors took advantage of their opportunities in this respect and tallied three goals.

Olson, Carson and Goulinlock went well in goal, and the forward line, while Wright did an immense amount of back-checking. Carson, Goulinlock and Ramsay divided the goals equally among them.

McNAUGHTON PLAYS WELL.

McNaughton was probably the best man on the ice, although he never appeared to be extended himself to his utmost ability. He checks and carries the puck well, and also knows how to feed his wings with well-timed passes.

The fans of Ireland defence players failed to work together, and did not been for the fact that McNaughton came back with nearly all the U. of T. attackers the margin in favor of the locals would have been much larger. McDonald, who is one of the two Sons of Ireland players who are not French, did good work, but his partner, Flaherty, appeared to be out of his class. Neither worked hard enough to show real worth, and, as one fan remarked, were "only out there to go through the motions."

Hughes, next to McNaughton, was the best man for the visitors. He broke up rush after rush, and when attempting peppered Langtry with some good shots. All of the visitors packed a sore wallop, but they were prone to too much to long-range shooting.

VISITORS NOT DISCOURAGED.

Manager Gendron, of the Irish, was not at all discouraged by the reverse and promised that his team would show a return to their form to-morrow. He predicted that they would only beat the Collegians, but also overcome the lead. The Quebec champions were easily admitted to the C.A.H.A. a short time ago, and are not very popular at six-man hockey. They feel that it is an unfair test to be asked to meet the intercollegiate title holders the latters' ice, but they agreed to this arrangement when they were admitted to the association, and are willing to go through with it.

Coach Frank Carroll has not lost confidence in his team, despite the defeat of last night, and is looking for them to come back strong to-morrow. In Carson, Olson and Goulinlock he has three of the best forwards in amateur ranks, while Langtry, though he was not up to form against the Sons of Ireland, has been playing good hockey.

U. OF T. SCORES FIRST.

Play was slow and uninteresting in the opening period with what there was resulting with the Blue and White. McNaughton scored a goal for the Sons of Ireland, and Ramsay did the same for U. of T. The forwards back-checked better than the visitors, and particular attention was paid to McNaughton. U. of T. got away with a lot of illegal checking with the stick, and this method of defence prevented the Sons of Ireland attackers from getting to close quarters.

Play livened up in the second session, but even at that the exhibition fare left much to be desired. Ice was generally treated to. Sons of Ireland spasmodically made two or three nice rushes, and showed some fast, swift and accurate shooting. Time for the most part were delivered to the out, and Blue and White U. of T. proceeded without much trouble. Goulinlock and Ramsay scored twice for the Collegians, while Laroche on a rush from Moreney's shot tallied one for the visitors.

Sons of Ireland — Goal, Lennox; defence, Moreney and McDonald; centre, McNaughton; left wing, Laroche; right wing, Hughes; subs., Cullen.

U. of T.—Goal, Langtry; defence, McIntyre and Ramsay; centre, Goulinlock; left wing, Olson; right wing, Wright; subs., Westman and Carson.

Referees—H. Hyland, of Montreal, and T. Munro, of London.

## Ruether Signs With the Reds

### Came to Terms With Herrman Yesterday

Cincinnati, March 17.—Pitcher Walter Ruether, the last of the hold-outs of the world champion Reds, signed his contract here 1920 at the training camp at Miami, Florida, according to word received to-day from President Augustus Garry Herrman, who is with his team.

Jacksonville, March 17.—The Dodgers' regulars showed that they are rounding into form by whitewashing the Yannigans yesterday, 2 to 0. It was a pitchers' battle. Cadore and Mamaux, who hurled for the jubilant, were found for only five hits and Mohart and Conlon, for the regulars yielded only four safeties.

## C. H. Mitchell is President

### Meeting of Westinghouse Ball Club Held Last Night

On March 10th a meeting was held for the re-organization of the Westinghouse Ball Club, at which the following officers were elected:—Honorary President, Mr. J. T. Tipladyy; President, C. H. Mitchell; Vice President, "Doc" Jones; Sec. Treasurer, Mr. H. S. Small; Executive Committee—Mr. C. H. Mitchell, Mr. H. S. Small, Mr. T. Moffat, Mr. D. Tracey, Mr. R. H. Payne, Mr. C. Nasby, Mr. F. Tice.

## FISH SKIN SHOES.

### May Reduce the Cost of Our Footwear.

Philadelphia, March 17.—Fish leather may reduce the cost of boots and shoes. The appearance of leather made from the skins of the finny tribe is heralded by tanners and shoe manufacturers as the beginning of a new national industry.

Experts say fish leather will soon be used for all kinds of footwear, from the finest of women's shoes to heavy hunting boots. It will also be in demand for bookbinding, bags, trunks and harness.

Leather made from fish skins, it is said, equals in quality that made from land animals.

## SIR ADAM BECK

### Back At His Tasks After His Holiday.

Toronto, March 17.—Sir Adam Beck arrived in Toronto at noon yesterday after several months' absence in England, during which he suffered a severe attack of pneumonia, look'g ill, but a trifle thinner than when he left. He was soon busy at his desk in the Hydro Commission offices. In an interview he stated that he expected to see Premier Drury and his Cabinet shortly, and hoped to get the co-operation in extensions to the Hydro and Hydro-radials. The Chippawa-Queenston scheme, he said, was intended to more than double the ultimately planned capacity, to give adequate power required by the extraordinary expansion of the system.

Asked if he would become a candidate in the North-east Toronto constituency now vacated through the resignation of Hon. Dr. Cody, Sir Adam replied: "I don't know anything about that yet."

## LAND FOR SOLDIERS

### 42,846 Acres in Saskatchewan For Settlement.

Ottawa, March 16. — Chairman Black, of the Soldier Settlement Board, announces that plans have been completed for allotting over about April 20, a number of Saskatchewan reservations, the total aggregating 42,846 acres, for the benefit of returned soldiers. The reserves are:

Ochopowace, 10 miles northeast of Broadview. The total area is 18,000 acres, and it is divided into 3 units, averaging 324 acres. The price will average $3,000 per farming unit.

Poorman's, 100 miles southeast of Regina. Total area, 16,318 acres, divided into 54 farming units averaging 302 acres. Average selling price, $1,015 per farming unit.

These units will be disposed of by ballot system.

Knowledge will not be acquired without pains and application. It is troublesome and deep digging for pure waters; but when you come to the spring, they rise up and meet you.—Fuller.

# BUSINESS, COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL SECTION

## MARKETS and FINANCE

### MAY CORN DUE FOR BIG DROP

**Market Thinks 32 Cents Advance Too Great.**

**Investment Buying of Oats Reported.**

(Supplied by Tomenson, Forwood & Co., Merchants Bank Bldg.)

Chicago, March 17.—May corn, which sold at 124⅝ on Feb. 9th, up to 1[illegible] yesterday. An advance of 22 cts. mostly within less than thirty days and 8½c in two days has invited heavy selling for profits. The grain was well absorbed and the strength the market displayed under such selling encouraged those who remained long to hold confident of their position. It was said that while corn may sell higher, reactions after a 32c advance are to be expected any time. With the continuation of the present bullish feeling the disposition is to buy on all good breaks. Traders generally advised caution in making purchases on bulges from this level.

Practically all the corn sold for future delivery with the exception of that put out around the top figures and 1 cent under, shows, losses to the short sellers. Eastern shorts have covered freely the last few days but in most instances it has been the cause of one short covering at the expense of another.

Technically the situation in corn has been somewhat changed by the calls of futures on the cash grain the last week, the premium being reduced around eight cents.

Investment buying of July oats was yesterday by some of the largest local operators. They are regarded as too low compared with May, as the short sellers are giving away too much.—Tribune.

### RATS MYSTIFY FARMER

**No Authentic Data How They Carry Off the Swag.**

A mystery that famers, poultrymen and many a housewife would like to have solved is: How do rats carry eggs?

This mystery is enacted, in one form or another, annually on thousands of farms and sometimes even in city homes. The housewife has an accumulation of eggs ready to go to market. They partially fill a wooden crock, set on a box in the cellar. One evening the contents are intact; the next day they have vanished, with not a sign to indicate where or how they have gone.

Perhaps it happens that a hen coming on 15 eggs, in a box high up from the floor. He finds the hen off after several days, and casually counts the eggs. Two are gone. Critically examining the nesting materials, he finds no indication that the hen has broken the eggs. The following day he finds a third egg vanished. The second day two others are gone. Then suddenly, the trusty brood hen leaves her nest, "broken up." Rats! It doesn't seem possible, yet the farm boy knows the explanation really is rats. They have been practising such magic in the poultry-house for generations.

How do rats carry eggs: Some time ago the query was put up to the most famous of all American naturalists, John Burroughs, who, according to the Scientific American, admitted that he didn't know, but that he had heard an explanation current among farmers, but he couldn't say that it was the correct one.

The mystery of how rats carry eggs is unsolved "officially" after hundreds of years of conjecture. That the disappearing eggs are borne off by rats is proved clearly enough by the discovery of whole, uncracked eggs beneath floors, in partitions and other hiding places. Farming commentators advance various theories are advanced and every now and then someone actually claims to have seen the rats at work. These eye-witnesses of a most unusual thing say the rat holds the egg between chin and forefeet, or that he tumbles off elevations, deftly protecting the egg as he falls; that usually there is a crowd of rats about to drag the rat lying on the egg back by the tail across the floor to the hole.

Others say the rat carries the egg, held between folds of skin under the right without assistance. The general opinion, however, would explain such a conduct of opinion. It is agreed that rats work in gangs when thieving, and that it is difficult to determine from a distance exactly what they are doing among themselves. It is said there is always much squealing, but whether the rats are getting hurt, or by contrast are merely enjoying themselves, is not indicated.

**Cases of Genuine Fasting.**

When the cupboard is bare, and housekeeping funds are low, the poor sufferer thinks of the fasting of the Buddhist monks, and wishes that that is a practical answer to his problem.

Apart from the obvious tricksters of the traveling fairs there are many notable cases of genuine fasting.

In the year 1347, Cicely Lidgway was charged with the murder of her husband, and in order to impress the jurors with her innocence, she fasted for 40 days and was acquitted, thus considering her salvation as a direct divine intervention.

A well-known American medical man, Dr. Tanner, of New York, fasted for forty days in the summer of 1880 and lost nearly three stone in the process.

Louis Latteau, who died at the age of thirty-three, in 1883, was said to have gone without food for twelve years.

Amongst the most famous of the fasting fakirs was "The Fasting Woman of Tutbury," who claimed to have abstained from food for twenty months. She created a furore before being finally exposed in 1808.

A man named Cavanagh astonished the world by declaring that he had lived without food from February, 1880, until November, 1840, that is, nearly two years, but on his statement being disapproved he was imprisoned.—Tit-Bits.

### STOCK TREND STILL UPWARD

**Market Is Irregular and Uncertain.**

**Rails Seem to Have the Best Following.**

(Supplied by J. G. Beaty & Co., 17 Main St. E., Members New York Stock Exchange.)

New York, May 17.—Irregularity may continue to-day, and it is possible that prices may settle back a little more. Traders were taking profits yesterday, and the market was largely professional. In our opinion the trend is still upward and, on the reactions, we would buy the good stocks. On the set-backs reading is attractive and has good speculative qualities. Some uneasiness prevailed in speculative element after close over stock dividend outlook. Action of Crucible Steel in declaring 50 per cent stock divdend after close yesterday did not tend to change attitude of speculative element in this respect.

Pool operations were noted in Baldwin Locomotive.

Belief in best circles is that Reading, Southern Pacific and Rock Island particularly, and the railroad list generally, will advance to substantially higher levels without regard to action of industrial groups. New Haven also spoken of as likely to do much better.

Violent upturn in foreign exchange. Sterling closed at 372¾ for demand.

Reported twenty-five million to thirty million gold being brought on British War ships to Halifax. Atlantic dispatch says Southern Railway Company will rely on its own earnings instead of accepting standard return of 5½ per cent. and extra half of one per cent for improvements.

Reward advises says Submarine Boat Corpn. has laid off 2,000 men.

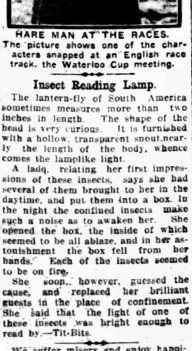
Standard Oil Co. of California advanced prices 25 cents a barrel for all grades of crude oil.

Railroad heads say $500,000,000 fund provided in transportation to meet roads requirements in transition is only half what they need.

### *Local Juniors Meet Toronto Team Saturday*

**Must Win to Stay in Running**

One of the big attractions at the "Y" this Saturday night will be the basketball game which will be staged between the Toronto Central Junior team and the local "Y" juniors. The local juniors, who, in their district, the Toronto Centrals were also victors in their territory, and this will be the second game of the inter-group series. The local lads travelled to Toronto last Saturday and were handed a sound drubbing, of which the sting still lingers. To wipe this out and hand the Toronto crew just as hard a pill to swallow, is the task Captain Murray Philpott has set for his boys, and they, along with their supporters, have every confidence that they can turn the trick on the home floor. If the Philpott hopefuls win on Saturday night it means a play-off on a neutral floor. Both teams are speedy and have a wonderful knowledge of basketball, so the game promises to be a hummer.



HARE MAN AT THE RACES.
The picture shows one of the characters snapped at an English race track, the Waterloo Cup meeting.

**Insect Reading Lamp.**

The lantern-fly of South America sometimes measures more than two inches in length. The shape of the head is very curious. It is furnished with a hollow, transparent snout, nearly the length of the body, whence comes the lamplike light.

A lady, relating her first impressions of these insects, says she had several of them brought to her in the daytime, and put them into a box. In the night the confined insects make such a noise and leather snouts. She opened the box, the inside of which seemed to be all ablaze, and in her astonishment the box fell from her hands. Each of the insects seemed to be on fire.

She soon, however, guessed the cause, and replaced her brilliant guests in the place of confinement. She said that the light of one of these insects was bright enough to read by.—Tit-Bits.

We suffer misery and enjoy happiness before they are in being; we can set the sun and stars forward, or lose sight of them by wandering into those retired parts of eternity when the heavens and earth shall be no more.—Addison.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### TORONTO MARKETS

FARMER'S MARKET.

| Dairy Produce— | | |
|---|---|---|
| Butter, choice dairy | 0 68 | 0 68 |
| Do., creamery | 0 70 | 0 68 |
| Margarine, lb. | 0 47 | 0 45 |
| Eggs, new laid, doz. | 0 70 | 0 60 |
| Cheese, lb. | 0 35 | 0 40 |
| Dressed Poultry— | | |
| Fowl, lb. | 0 40 | 0 45 |
| Chickens, roasting | 0 45 | 0 40 |
| Turkeys, lb. | 0 45 | 0 40 |
| Live Poultry— | | |
| Chickens, lb. | 0 35 | 0 33 |
| Roasters, lb. | 0 25 | 0 25 |
| Fowl, lb. | 0 28 | 0 45 |
| Fruits— | | |
| Apples, bbl. | 5 50 | 1 00 |
| Do., bkt. | 0 60 | 0 60 |
| Rhubarb, bunch | 0 15 | 0 15 |
| Vegetables— | | |
| Beets, bag | 2 25 | 2 00 |
| Carrots, bag | 2 00 | 2 25 |
| Cabbage, each | 0 15 | 0 15 |
| Cauliflower, each | 0 25 | 0 50 |
| Celery, head | 0 25 | 0 25 |
| Leeks, bunch | 0 10 | 0 30 |
| Lettuce leaf, 2 for | 0 10 | 0 00 |
| Lettuce, head, each | 0 20 | 0 20 |
| Onions, bkt. | 0 65 | 1 25 |
| Do., green, bch. | 0 10 | 0 15 |
| Peppers, doz. | 0 50 | 0 75 |
| Potatoes, bag | 4 00 | 4 75 |
| Parsley, bunch | 0 10 | 0 10 |
| Parsnips, bag | 1 50 | 2 25 |
| Turnips, bag | 1 25 | |

MEATS—WHOLESALE.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Beef, forequarters, cwt. | 15 50 | 17 50 |
| Do., hindquarters | 17 50 | 18 50 |
| Do., choice, side | 18 50 | 19 50 |
| Do., medium | 16 50 | 18 50 |
| Do., common | 14 00 | 15 00 |
| Do., choice, cwt. | 19 00 | 20 00 |
| Do., medium | 17 00 | 18 00 |
| Do., common | 14 00 | 14 00 |
| Veal, common, cwt. | 18 00 | 20 00 |
| Do., medium | 21 00 | 24 00 |
| Do., prime | 26 00 | 28 00 |
| Heavy hogs, cwt. | 20 50 | 21 50 |
| Shop hogs, cwt. | 21 50 | 22 50 |
| Abattoir hogs, cwt. | 25 00 | 27 00 |
| Mutton, cwt. | 16 00 | 18 00 |
| Lamb, yearling, lb. | 0 22 | 0 25 |

SUGAR MARKET.

The wholesale quotations to the retail trade on Canadian refined sugar, Toronto delivery, are now as follows:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Atlantic granulated, 100-lb. bags | | 16 21 |
| Do., No. 1 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 16 21 |
| Do., No. 2 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 16 21 |
| Do., No. 3 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 16 11 |
| Acadia, granulated, 100-lb. bags | | 16 71 |
| Do., No. 1 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 16 21 |
| Do., No. 2 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 16 21 |
| Do., No. 3 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 16 11 |
| Redpath granulated, 100-lb. bags | | 16 46 |
| Do., No. 1 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 16 06 |
| Do., No. 2 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 15 96 |
| Do., No. 3 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 15 76 |
| Do., No. 4 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 15 66 |
| St. Lawrence granulated, 100-lb. bags | | 16 71 |
| Do., No. 1 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 16 21 |
| Do., No. 2 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 16 21 |
| Do., No. 3 yellow, 100-lb. bags | | 16 11 |

### OTHER MARKETS

WINNIPEG GRAIN EXCHANGE.

Fluctuations on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange were as follows:

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oats— | | | | |
| May | 0 98⅞ | 0 99¼ | 0 97⅞ | 0 98⅞ |
| July | 0 93⅞ | 0 94⅝ | 0 92¾ | 0 94 |
| Barley— | | | | |
| May | 1 62 | 1 63½ | 1 61¾ | 1 62¾ |
| July | 1 56½ | 1 57¼ | 1 56¼ | 1 57¼ |
| Flax— | | | | |
| May | 3 57 | 3 71 | 3 55 | 3 70½ |
| July | 3 50 | 3 64 | 3 48 | 3 59 |

A—To 98¾ cold. B—To 50¾ sold.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Close: Wheat—spot, No. 1 Northern, $2.45 to $2.75; flour unchanged; shipments, 30,908 barrels; barley, 1 car; oats, 20,908 bushels; barley, $1.32 to $1.64; rye, No. 2, $1.70 to $1.71; bran, $43.00; flax, $3.18 to $3.25.

### THE WEEK.

Dun's Review—With characteristic abruptness, financial sentiment has undergone reversal, becoming more cheerful on the further improvement in foreign exchange and other constructive developments, and moderated weather conditions have had a favorable influence in commercial channels. Recovery of production and distribution of goods from the disorganizing effects of repeated periods of unusual severity is in progress, though serious transportation handicaps remain in some sections, and encouragement is derived from the accumulating indications that the high point of some commodity prices has at last been witnessed.

With the moderated weather, recovery of iron and steel operations, which had been greatly hampered by the reverse storms of the winter, has now reached the point where production is at the highest rate in more than a year. While the Chicago district reports some urgent inquiries for car building materials and other equipment, yet there has thus far been no general rush of railroad purchasing, and a more conservative attitude is exhibited by certain classes of buyers in committing themselves ahead at present prices.

Responding to the better weather conditions the improved prospects for exports, and other factors, the primary textile markets developed more steadiness this week, following the recent evidences of price yielding. Some of the late declines in cotton goods prices have been recovered, print cloths being restored to a 22 1-2c basis, and both retail and jobbing transactions have disclosed some quickening in quarters where dullness had been manifest. Yet many jobbers are slow to operate ahead into the fall.

Without much change in actual trading conditions to serve as a stimulant, a better undertone has developed in the stock markets, and sellers appear to be more confident. Most buyers still further price reductions are foreshadowed, and hardly enough new business has been done to establish quotations. In footwear, a nearly reversal of the price position is looked for; yet it is significant that the buying public is now less insistent than formerly in demanding the highest-priced merchandise.

**ERZBERGER IS ARRESTED.**

(A. P. Special Cable.)

London, March 16.—Mathias Erzberger, former Finance Minister of the Ebert Government of Germany, has been placed under arrest, according to a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, filed in the German capital Monday night.

### FOR THE CHILDREN

A LONG RAILWAY JOURNEY.

"Go to bed, Tom; go to bed, Tom; go to bed, go to bed, go to bed, Tom."

This was the last sentence that the E. T. S. R. train seemed to be repeating, as it sped along the lines at its most express speed. At least it seemed so to Mary, for these words fitted in exactly with the rhythm and beat of the wheels.

The letters E. I. S. R. stand for the East Indian State Railway, and Mary was a little girl fresh from England, travelling on the E. I. S. R. for the first time in her life.

She had come out to India with her parents during the cold weather, and had, up to the present, spent all her time on the plains. But, now that the hot weather had begun to make itself felt, she had been packed off to boarding school in the hills.

This train was helping to carry her, and 30 other little girls of about her own age, away from the uncomfortably hot plains, up and up and up into a little town, tucked safely away in one of the folds of the Himalaya Mountains.

As she stood at the window of the carriage, with the breeze blowing refreshingly over her face, and her eyes peering into the blackness of the night, she thought of that journey in all its tenses, past, present and future, and fell to wandering how, when, and where she would find her destination

There was a peculiarly deliberate air about the train. It had stopped at every station or stopping place, under pretext of drinking water, or taking on board some lanky Bengali youth who happened to be wanting to lift a little way up the line. And then it had stopped again, to deposit him at his destination.

But then, this was a passenger school train, as distinct from the mail train. The thing that struck Mary about these casual passengers was the fact that they were not hampered with luggage, as European travelers always are. All their worldly possessions seemed to be compactly and neatly packed into a little white washing-bundle, which was balanced with great skill on their heads.

For hours the train had raced past golden paddy (rice) fields, mustard fields, resplendent in their blazing gowns of bright yellow, past dhobies (laundry men) solemnly reducing to tatters some unfortunate clothing against the stones of a little wayside tank (pond), and past naked little native children playing marbles on the road, or staring blandly at the train as it made its way, off and on, always with the flatest of flat land. There wasn't a suspicion of a hill, not even of an ant hill, anywhere, and Mary had begun to wonder is she would ever reach the mountains. But she had to learn to be patient, for the mountains were still many, many miles away.

At about 7 o'clock the sun had gone down with a flop, and plunged the world into darkness. There was no twilight. This untimely darkness greatly inconvenienced Mary, for she had wanted to look out of the window and see all that there was to be seen.

But at about 8 o'clock the really interesting part of the journey appeared on the scene. This was the steamer which was to take them across the River Ganges and deposit them in the night train, waiting on the other bank.

Toward 8, little red lights had begun to glimmer in the distance, and by degrees those had increased their brightness till, at last, they shone with full force on the train, standing stock still in Sara Ghat station.

Such a bustle and confusion there had been! Every one seemed to be talking, or rather shouting, at once. Numbers of coolies (porters) had thronged the train at the entrance to the station, and had run along with the train until it made its final halt. Each had clamored for preference and each was determined to be victor.

However, from the babbling throng Mary picked out a tall, lean, but muscular lad, with two even rows of pearl-like teeth, and a pleasant grinning countenance, and to his care she had entrusted all her valuables.

Presently, when he had acquired great glory for his marvelous capacity at balancing angular boxes on his head, and generally proving himself a human luggage truck, they set out for the boat. Mary followed closely in her coolie's footsteps.

In this way, each in the charge of her luggage coolie, all 30 little girls had been conducted across the bridged quicksands to the waiting boat.

After dinner, the girls had dispersed in little groups to explore the ship. Mary, attracted by a squeaky falsetto, pitched prominently in a deep gulley, had discovered a seaman taking the soundings. Each time he swung the lead he sang out the sounding to a fellow worker on the other side of the ship, who in turn passed on the information to the helmsman.

This "sounding" business deeply interested Mary, and she resolved to find out more about it.

Left to herself she could achieve nothing, for she could neither talk nor understand Hindustani, and the native was equally ignorant of the English language. But Mary remembered the friendly little travelling companion, and had fetched her from the place of interpreter. With her help, Mary gleaned a fund of information from the man. He had explained the necessity of constantly taking the soundings in order to steer a true course. The bed of the River Ganges is quicksand, which is always moving, and consequently the flow of the water is never the same. And with the flow alters the depth, which calls for a careful steering of the ship to avoid sandbanks.

The crossing, though not a long one, took two hours, so it was fairly late when they arrived at Paxi, where another train was waiting for them.

They were not due to arrive at their destination till mid-day the next day; and, before reaching it, there was to be one more change, from the night train into the little "Toy Train" which was to do the last lap of the journey up the mountains.

The "Toy Railway," Mary learnt, began at Siliguri, a station in the Terrai, at the foot of the Himalayas. They were to arrive there early next morning. The joys of the mountain journey were pleasures to be, but her travels up to date furnished enough food for thought for this one night.

And so, with a keen sense of pleasure, Mary realized the partly anticipated, she put her sleepy little self to bed.

### LOVED THE GIRL

**Soldier's Assault Was to Save, Not Kill Her.**

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Montreal, March 16.—The trial of Fridolin Leclerc, returned soldier, on a charge of attempted murder of Anna Lesperance, was suspended while the accused was examined by a doctor, to inform the court subsequently that Leclerc's brain was impaired. Throughout the trial, Leclerc, who claimed that his intention was to frighten the girl, and not to kill her, repeatedly asserted that he loved her, and still loved her, and that he wished to frighten her, and get her out of the resorts he said she was frequenting, and marry her. The case is continuing.

### LIFE PRESIDENT

**Masaryk Has Steady Post in Czecho-Slovakia.**

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Washington, March 16—Dr. Thomas G. Masaryk first President of the Republic of Czecho-Slovakia, will be permitted to continue in office for life, according to the provisions of the National Constitution, recently adopted at Prague. Provisions of the new constitution, made public to-day by the State Department, limit the terms of all future presidents to two successive terms of seven years each.

HAMMETT P. HILL.
Member of the Legislature for Ottawa West, who proposes to bring in at the present session a resolution calling for proportional representation.

### ARGENTINE BANDITS.

**Band of 200 is Raiding Santa Fe Towns.**

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Buenos Aires, March 16.—A band of two hundred armed men, said to be agrarian strikers and anarchists, raided the town of Barracas, in the Province of Santa Fe, late last week. After overpowering the police, sacking stores and pillaging houses, the band left town, asserting it would make similar raids on other communities. Militia units have been sent from Santa Fe to subdue the outlaws.

### A NEW PREMIER.

**Gen. Averesco First Minister of Roumania.**

(A. P. Special Cable.)

London, March 16.—Information received in Roumanian quarters in London is to the effect that King Ferdinand has accepted the resignation of acting Premier Kiru, and that he has commissioned General F. Averesco, Minister of the Interior, to form a new Cabinet, says the London Times.

In the same quarter the fear is expressed that the change in the Ministry will render more difficult harmonious co-operation between the Supreme Council and the Roumanian Government.

### CONFESSED MURDER.

**Allegation Against a Crerar, Ont., Trapper.**

Toronto, March 16.—Joseph Arthur Carpenter, alias Carr, who was arrested at Windsor on a charge of murdering Michael Donoghue, an old trapper of Crerar, Ont., in January, was brought to Toronto yesterday morning by Provincial Inspector Storey and Constable Smith, of Sudbury. Donoghue was found in his cabin in Crerar with his head battered in, with an axe. Inquiries led till the place of Jackson and Carpenter in Windsor, when Jackson made a statement that Carpenter, alias Carr, had confessed to the murder on the way to Toronto. He said that Carpenter had robbed the body of $250, then had fled to Montreal, where, in turn he was robbed of $200. He beat his way to Toronto, thence to Windsor.

### NO MORE WHISKEY.

**Brantford People Have Money Refunded.**

Brantford, March 16.—During the past ten days people in this city who had sent orders to Montreal for whiskey have had their money refunded. One of the largest houses in Montreal gives the reason that it is impossible to obtain any more whiskey from the Canadian distilleries. One of the reasons given for this is that recently extensive purchases have been made by the Provinces of Ontario, Alberta and British Columbia for the Government dispensaries. At present it looks as though persons in this Province wanting to purchase Canadian whiskey will have to purchase from the Government stores.


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### SALVAGED A HUGE TREASURE AROUND THE BRITISH ISLES

**Sum Recovered Since War Began Now Totals $250,000,000.**

(A. P. Special Cable.)

London, March 16.—Sunken treasure worth £50,000,000 has been raised since the war began around the British Isles. The Destroyer and the Brilliant, two salving vessels that were bought by a British concern from the American navy, have a new device, an oxyacetylene flame, which is worked under water for cutting holes in the sides of submerged vessels.

Each ship has twenty-five electric pumps, six sets of pumping 1,000,000 gallons of water an hour, and carries two divers, searchlights, line throwing guns, electric welding plants, rock drills, and other accessories. Each diver is equipped with a telephone.

The Restorer last year recovered $1,000,000 in gold from the Laurentic, off Lough Swilly, and both vessels are now operating off New Haven, on the Channel coast.

### *Irish Courts Like Military Manoeuvres*

(A. P. Special Cable).

Belfast, March 16.—Judges Dodd and Gibson, in going to the Assizes at Tifford Court House, yesterday, were escorted by police armed with carbines and revolvers. Soldiers also lined the streets.

The judges' houses are guarded night and day by the military.

Judge Dodd, in opening the Assizes, said that his heart bled for the police, to whose courage he paid tribute.

### SIMS DIVULGES MORE OF U. S. NAVAL INCOMPETENCE

**Tells Senate of Fears and Blunders of Department Officials.**

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Washington, March 16.—A little "bluff" on the part of the Germans in 1918, at the crucial point of the war, would have paralyzed transportation of soldiers and war materials between this country and Europe, Rear-Admiral Sims to-day told the Senate Naval Sub-Committee.

Information from authentic sources indicating that the Germans were building two heavily armoured modern battle cruisers for a desperate last hope raid against trooship convoys, was transmitted to the Navd Department, Admiral Sims said, and immediately he was beseiged with cablegrams from Washington outlining various plans of action, all of which, he testified, were impracticable, although such a contingency had been under discussion for nearly a year, and there had been ample time to prepare.

"If the enemy had only known," said Admiral Sims, "all he need have done was to make a series of bluffs, involving little risk to himself, and we would have done the rest. Shipping would have been paralyzed."

The United States Department wished to land a "solar plexus blow" against the submarine campaign, he Admiral said, and suggested many of the schemes long before rejected by the Allies. Such a plan was that of sinking old battleships and cruisers in the entrances to all German submarine base harbors. Admiral Sims asserted, and only after he pointed out that the scheme would require the sinking of 40 battleships and 43 cruisers, and six months of preparation, did the Department agree to abandon the plan. It took seven months of effort to bring the Washington officials to the final conclusion, he said.

On May 11, 1917, the Navy Department first suggested the idea of a barrage of mines across the North Sea to trap the German sea forces, Admiral Sims said, and at that time he opposed the plan, because the Allies could not afford to divert the large numbers of men and ships and huge amounts of material necessary to make the project a success, he declared; and also because the old type mines then in use were not practicable for such a purpose.

Later, when the submarine campaign was well in hand, and a new type of antenna mine developed in the United States, he approved the idea, he said, and helped to expedite the laying of the barrage. The result was, the North Sea mine barrage was a magnificent achievement, the Admiral said, reflecting great credit on the Navy, and the officers and men who were responsible for the success Admiral said, and suggested many of the project.


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# HARDLY ENOUGH CITY BUILDING FOR ARCHITECT

## City Has None in Sight and School Board Very Little.

## READY TO CONSIDER

### Board of Education Ready to Deal With Subject On Merits.

The building committee of the Board of Education appeared before the Board of Control by special appointment to confer on the question of the appointment of an architect for the Board of Education and the city. The result was that, at the present time, the expense would hardly be justified in that the architect would need a staff and office of experts in order to keep up with the work and changes of construction methods, and that his percentage added to the costs would be too large in proportion to the amount of work in sight. So the Board, thanking the committee, decided to pass it up.

The Building Committee consisted of Trustees A. M. Cunningham, Frank R. Close, George Allan, Ernest Linger, E. F. Lazier, George Armstrong and R. H. Foster, secretary of the Board.

Secretary Barr, of the Board of Control, submitted a statement showing that, during the six years beginning with 1914, the city has paid $32,347.93 in architects' fees for city building, fully 75 per cent. of which was for hospital work. The rate of fives per cent. was paid in almost every case.

Secretary Foster, of the Board of Education, also submitted a statement, showing the Board's expenditures on new buildings to have been $917,575.02, on which the architects' fees amounted to $46,188.75, or a little less than five per cent. He explained that that amount included all inspection charges and when experts had to be called in on heating, etc., the architects' fees covered such expenses.

Mr. F. R. Close asked the Mayor what information the Board of Control had been able to secure in support of the proposed change, and was informed that it had not gone after any, first desiring a conference with the Board of Education.

F. R. Close: "We have thought of this thing for some time past, but we've never been able to convince ourselves of the need or justification of it."

Geo. Armstrong: "Boston tried it out a few years ago. But they eventually found it not satisfactory. The difficulty is this: Methods of construction, materials used in construction, styles, etc., all change from time to time, and no ordinary man, in an ordinary office, under a system, can handle it, or keep up to it. Every architect's office has to employ an expert. If you appoint an architect you must support him, and if you get a lot of experts it will come high."

The Mayor: "That means you must engage an architect and be safe."

Mr. Armstrong quoted the Board of Education figures as showing an expenditure of only $9,000 a year for architects' fees, for six years, during which time almost a million dollars were spent in building.

Controller Davis figured it at only $7,500 a year—for six years—which made Mr. Armstrong's case so much stronger, in favor of the present System.

In the discussion it developed that the School Board had added 115 class rooms during the six years, with accommodation for over 5,000; that to keep up with the demands one new 20-roomed school a year is necessary.

Mr. Armstrong informed the meeting that of the five per cent. architect's fees, the architect gets only one and one-half per cent. for his salary, the other three and a half per cent. being the cost of his office, help, inspectors' fees, expert advice, etc.

Controller O'Heir: "I don't think personally that for the schools alone it would pay. But for the city, as a whole, I think it would. Let the city get the work and the man can see that it is done. For the last six years we have been going along spending only what we have had to. We ought to get a man capable of handling all the jobs for the city."

Controller Davis called the joint meeting's attention to the fact that the Board of Education had already announced that its building campaign would be very light this year, and possibly for a few years to come. The city had very little building in sight. If a city architect and staff were engaged there would be little for them to do.

The Mayor—The city has no building in sight.

Mr. Foster—The Board of Education has only one eight-room school for this year.

Conditions in Cleveland, Boston and other large cities of the United States, in comparison with Hamilton, were discussed, and it was apparent that school building is much more advantageously handled here.

Controller Aitchison finally said: "I don't think that the School Board has enough work to keep a man and his staff going.

"The Mayor—But if, at any time, we are able to show that it would be advantageous to make the change?

Mr. Close—Then we will be ready to consider it.

And so the discussion ended.

# TEA TABLE GOSSIP

—A fire at the city dump, on Brant street, gave the fire department a run last evening about eight o'clock.

—A bicycle belonging to Arnold Hicks, 9 Melrose avenue, was stolen from the corner of Garfield avenue and Dundurn road yesterday afternoon.

—William Bowker, 363 York street, complained to the police this morning that the stable at the rear of his home was entered last evening, and a set of single harness, valued at $60, was stolen.

—Andrew McCrudden, 85 Inchbury street, reported that a buff rooster and a White Wyandotte hen were stolen out of the coop in the rear of his home during the past few days.

—About $300 damage was done by fire last night to a frame and galvanized iron bathhouse at the foot of Ferrie street. The fire broke out at 11.25. The bouthouse was the property of Jeremiah Murphy.

—Boys playing with matches caused a fire about 4.40 yesterday afternoon, on a platform in the rear of a house situated at 73 Lorne avenue. A. E. Cowling is the owner and tenant. Slight damage was done.

# THE MAN IN OVERALLS

Teach your boys to be kind to the birds. They are our friends.

Then don't kick the cat. He does good by stealth when he catches mice and rats.

Every boy should read up on the life of St. Patrick.

Gum is a treacherous servant. Be careful in the handling of it.

I would like to take a show of hands on that Carroll's Point cemetery question.

How about your umbrella? Rainy weather is coming.

I haven't heard of a returned soldier wanting to be City Treasurer.

It looks to me as though some of the young ladies forget to buckle their overshoes.

What date did you say the bay was going to be cleared of ice?

Don't forget to share your increase with wife.

The annex to the Memorial School came down faster than it went up.

Hurry up now, gentlemen, and decide whether you are going to widen Merrick street.

Don't leave your fish but out too long.

It's a case now to use your coal sparingly if you wish it to last.

# THIRD M. G. BRIGADE

## Sends Ball Team to Brantford To-morrow.

A baseball practice game was indulged in by the members of the 3rd Canadian Machine Gun Brigade last night, when a team was selected to oppose the Brantford company at Brantford on Thursday evening. Before the game commenced a number of young men were enrolled.

The unit is desirous of obtaining young men, whether they have had any military experience or not. This branch of training is not only most interesting and beneficial, but offers a splendid opportunity for young men to become efficient machine gunners under experienced instructors. The 3rd Canadian Machine Gun Brigade is non-permanent and is conducted along the lines of the local militia units.

The orderly room, located in the new armories, is open from 7 to 10 p.m. daily, and every Tuesday and Thursday evening, from 7.30 p.m. to 10 p.m., for the purpose of enlistments.

Those members who go to go to the baseball game at Brantford are notified to attend the first shooting at the indoor gallery of the new armories on Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock.

## Y. M. C. A. SONG SERVICE

The usual good attendance of young men was seen at last Sunday's meeting around the fire-place. Mr. R. M. Atkins, of the Y. M. C. A. National Council, gave a forceful eight-minute talk on "The Kind of Religion That Counts." Mr. Lee James sang "Bearing His Cross." Besides bright hymns that all can join in, the special music for next Sunday will be, cornet solo by Mr. H. McIlamby and tenor solo by Mr. Geo. Anderson; pianist, Mr. Will Stevens. The special invitation is given to all men to join this group on Sunday evenings at 8.30 to 9, after church.

## BRITISH MAILS

British and Foreign mail via England to consist of letters and registered articles only, from at the Hamilton Post Office as follows:

Regular letter mail, Friday, March 19th, 7 a.m.

Supplementary letter mail, Friday, March 19th, 1 p.m.

Regular registered mail, Thursday, March 18th, 10 a.m.

Supplementary registered mail, Friday, March 19th, 12 noon.

## HEART OF THE EMPIRE

The Imperial Bank of Canada has a calendar one which is quite attractive. "The Heart of the Empire" is shown in colors, giving a beautiful view of Old London, from the Tower of London, the Royal Exchange, with St. Paul's Cathedral, the Mansion House and many other famous buildings of this world centre.

## NOVA SCOTIA TOWN SCORCHED.

Halifax, N.S., March 17.—A disastrous fire broke out last night in the town of Annapolis Royal, N.S. Five buildings were destroyed and several others badly damaged. The loss is estimated at over $100,000.

# SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. West, of this city, have bought a home in Sunnyside and are moving to Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kerr have returned from a two months' visit in the sunny south.

Lieut.-Col. Colin Harbottle, C.M.G., D.S.O., has bought Mr. S. M. Dunn's fruit farm at Winona, and will reside there shortly.

The Mount Hamilton Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Waters, 84 Mountain Park Avenue, on Thursday at 3. All ladies cordially invited.

The committee of the J. P. Club held a recent meeting and talked over plans for a dance they are having in the near future. If the enthusiasm shown by the members is an indication of its success, it is going to be one of the best of the season.

The regular monthly meeting of the Margaret Gage Burkholder Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held on Thursday, March 19th, in the Y.W.C.A., at 7.45 sharp. All members are requested to attend, as arrangements will be completed for the annual dance in Memorial Hall, on Easter Monday, which promises to be the event of the season. Keep date in mind.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of C. M. Dent, Markland street west, by the boys of one of the Sun day School Classes of Zion Church. The evening was passed with crokinole games, won by Nelson Morrison, and the hooby by Jack Baker. After the games the boys sat down to a very nice supper, which they all enjoyed. Then a short speech, in which was expressed the best wishes of the boys for the host and hostess was given by A. McNemmy, and the boys found their way home after a very enjoyable and well-spent evening.

## 205TH DRAWING.

Final returns for the 205th Tiger Battalion Association drawing to be held at the Lyric theatre to-night are to be made at the store of John Lennox, King street east, not later than 6 o'clock this evening. There are still a few stubbs to be turned in and the ticket sellers are asked to make their returns as early as possible. Those in charge of the drawing will be at the Lyric theatre at 7 o'clock.

## CATHEDRAL HOME CIRCLE.

St. Mary's Cathedral Home Circle held its first annual election of officers on Monday evening. The following were elected: President, Mrs. F. Edwards; First Vice President, Mrs. A. Austin; Second Vice President, Mrs. T. Roy; Third Vice President, Mrs. G. Braidwood; Secretary, Miss K. Seery; Treasurer, Miss Alice Murphy; Executive Committee, Mesdames Farr, F. Garner, A. Anderson, R. Keating and Zimmerman.

The treasurer's report which showed a remarkably successful year was read by Miss Agnes Kennedy. Total receipts for the year recorded to $396.07, balance on hand is $447.18.

Rev. J. A. Sullivan, director of the circle, warmly congratulated the ladies on the success of their efforts and also extended to them some good advice regarding important work which is to be undertaken by the circle.

## A. S. D. CLUB DANCE

The A. S. D. Club will resume its interrupted season on April 6th, when a big dance will be given at the Alexandra Academy. This will be the largest dance the club will hold this year, and the committee is working to make it a notable event. Howard's orchestra from Toronto, will be conducted by Al. Howard, will play for this dance. Invitations are being sent out for a large number, but only two hundred and fifty tickets will be sold. Those may be obtained from Mr. A. E. Breeze, Garfield Cole, patronesses who have so graciously consented to act are: Mesdames William Hendrie, H. F. Burkholder, P. F. Bachus, R. S. Griffin, W. R. Mills, J. L. Counsell, J. M. Eastwood, Pryse Park.

## AVIATION CHAPTER.

The Malcolm Crerar Aviation Chapter, I. O. D. E., held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. R. B. McGregor, Queen street south, on Tuesday afternoon, with a goodly number of members present. The principal business before the meeting was the question of some form of memorial to fallen aviators, and the discussion led to the appointment of a committee, with Mrs. G. S. Dunnet as convener to investigate the conditions and needs of the Children's Shelter, with a view to having the memorial take the place of practical assistance to this institution. The sum of $25 was voted to help the East End Boy Scouts, and it was decided to supplement this by a book-shower at the next regular meeting. Afternoon tea was served by the hostess.

## ST. CECILIA CHAPTER.

The March meeting of St. Cecilia Chapter, I. O. D. E., was held yesterday afternoon in the Y. W. C. A. club-room, Mrs. Calvin Davis, the Regent, presiding. Mrs. Ross Mills, the Secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting, and the Treasurer, Mrs. J. L. Diggins, read the financial statement. A letter was read from Mrs. Goodersham was read, also from the executive of the Provincial Chapter. The chapter decided to pay its share of the expenses for the organization meeting of the Provincial Chapter. It was decided that $200 be sent to the Sanatorium for the purchase of sanitary tables. Of this sum, part was raised by the card party and dance recently given by the chapter. A further donation will later be sent for the purchase of other tables.

Mrs. James Bain reported for the Girls' Club, and a number of improvements made there. Curtains for the St. Cecilia room had been obtained. Mrs. Bain requested the chapter members to send their used magazines to the club, as the girls in residence greatly enjoy them, and after reading them, send them to the hospitals. By request, Mrs. W. W. Peacock was appointed a representative to this branch of the work.

The Regent complied with the request of the Provincial Chapter, and urged that I. O. D. E. members purchase and use in as far as possible, only Canadian-made goods. Members were asked to send donations of gruels, custards, broths and rice to the Infants' Home, where there are many cases of influenza.

It was decided to hold an afternoon of cards in the I. O. F. hall, Main street east, on Saturday, April 10th. Committees were formed for the day, in charge of arrangements, with Mrs. James Bain and Mrs. Addison as conveners.

## MONEY CREEK INSTITUTE.

The regular monthly meeting of the Stoney Creek Women's Institute was held in the Parish Hall. The Secretary's report showed that 93 ladies had taken advantage of the course in home nursing, just completed. A grant of $25 was donated to the Secours National, and $10 to the Stoney Creek public school for manual training and domestic science work. It was decided to invite the Winona and Tapleytown Institutes to visit the Stoney Creek Institute in June. Mrs. H. D. Petrie gave a very interesting and instructive address along economic and parliamentary lines, and Mrs. (Dr.) Carr urged the members to strive for the betterment of the Saltfleet Public Library and to read more and better Canadian journals and magazines. The musical numbers contributed by Mrs. M. Wallace, Misses Pearl and Ruby were thoroughly enjoyed by all present. At the close of the meeting afternoon tea was served. Those willing to contribute canned fruit for the Mountain Sanatorium will kindly leave same as soon as possible at Mrs. D. Horning's; also everyone is asked to co-operate with the Institute in saving all old newspapers, magazines, etc., the proceeds of sale of which will be devoted to the library.

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# EX-MAYOR ANDRUS

## One of the Old-Time Ball-Players Here.

There's a visitor in Hamilton to-day whose presence will call up some of the collection of the good old times, and set the baseball fans of the days when Dundurn park was the Mecca of all lovers of the great game, at the recounting of the triumphs of the early professional days in Hamilton.

The visitor is Dr. W. V. Andrus, of Butte, Montana—"Wymie" Andrus, of the Hamilton club of the late 80's, a university student at Toronto. Andrus joined the Hamilton club about 1886 and played here for several years. He was second baseman, and one of the best of the day—or subsequent days—ever produced a superior. He was a consistent .350 hitter and one of the best base runners of the time. He was contemporaneous with "Mox" McQuery, "Rev." John Rainey, "Marr" Philips, "Rooby" Wright, "Mike" Mansell, "Joe" Visner, "Chub" Collins, and players of like calibre, and was, besides being always in the game, always a gentleman.

It was Andrews who pulled off the unassisted triple play in one of the home games of the Hamilton great days. With men on first and second an opposing batsman lined the ball over second base. Here Andrus ever got over to it no one ever knew, not even himself, but he grabbed it with one hand as it was passing which put out the batter, touched his base, which put out the man who had run down to third, and tagged the man who, believing it was a safe hit, had run down from first—but as old "Joe" Knight used to say, "We pulled that sort of stuff off regularly in those days."

Mr. Andrus subsequently completed his university course, studied medicine, and is one of the successful practitioners of the West. He was Mayor of Butte, Montana, the same year as "Chub" Collins was Mayor of Dundas.

# CHINESE BANDITS

## Free U. S. Missionary, But Seize British.

(A. P. Special Cable.)

Peking, March 17.—(Delayed.)—The Rev. Dr. A. L. Skelton, a missionary of the Disciples of Christ Church, who was captured by bandits in January at Laoyakuan, near Yunnan-Fu, has been released through the efforts of the American Legation, and is proceeding under escort to Yunnan-Fu, where he is due to arrive next Monday. Simultaneously with advices of the release of Dr. Skelton, came news of the capture by the same band of bandits of a British missionary named Metcalfe, belonging to the China Inland Mission.


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# THE WEATHER

COLDER TO-NIGHT.

FORECASTS—Lakes and Georgian Bay—Westerly winds, fair today and on Thursday, somewhat colder to-night.

WEATHER NOTES.

Toronto, March 17.—The disturbance which was over Port Arthur yesterday morning has moved quickly eastward to the Gulf of St. Lawrence with diminishing intensity causing showers in Ontario, Quebec, and the Maritime Provinces. In Manitoba the weather has been fair and cold.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Stockholm—At New York from Gothenburg.

Carnania—At Plymouth from New York.

Giuseppi Verdi—At Naples from New York.

Duca Degli Abruzzi—At Naples from New York.

Helvetere—At Trieste from New York.

Antigone—At Antwerp from New York.

# ALL ARE ASKING FOR INCREASES

## Dundas High School Principal Gets Only $1,600.

## To Honor Memory of Former Residents.

Dundas, March 17.— The Board of Education met last night and among other things received with thanks a portrait from Postmaster Graham, of himself suitably framed, to be hung in the Council Chamber. Mr. Graham was at one time a chairman of the board.

The public school report showed 732 pupils, a considerable decrease in the enrollment due to the epidemic.

The board decided to pay Mr. Robinson a substitute teacher more than the fixed rate of $3 per day.

Miss Ella Patterson was appointed delegate to the O. E. A. convention.

The High school report showed 53 boys and 61 girls enrolled, of which 25 are rural and 75 town pupils.

Principal Moore who now gets $1,600 a year asked for an increase, and all the public school staff, who got 12 per cent increase in December, 1919, wrote asking for another rise. Referred to the Finance committee.

H. P. Davidson was appointed on the advisory and industrial committee.

A letter was read suggesting that portraits of Sir Wm. Osler, L.A. Lash, K.C., and other famous men, who at one time lived in Dundas, or graduated from Dundas schools, be placed on walls of the schools as a means of honoring these men and their memory and also to inspire the children of the schools.

The members were invited to attend an address in the library on March 19th, to view moving pictures supplied by the Ontario Government to illustrate the value of moving pictures in educational work. Some half dozen films will be shown.

Miss Nicholson resigned as a High school teacher. Miss Aldridge, of Edmonton was engaged as successor on the staff.

The agricultural committee regretted that no sites were available this year for school gardens.

# ADVERTISING CLUB

## Francis B. Frazee, of Buffalo, the Speaker.

Last evening about eighty members and guests of the Advertising Club of Hamilton sat down at a first-class luncheon in the Royal Connaught Hotel dining room. The speaker of the evening was Francis B. Frazee, advertising manager of the Larkin Co., Buffalo. The topic was "Know Your Customers." The speaker handled the subject in a masterly manner—so much so that the boys asked many questions which he answered very fully by Mr. Frazee. Taken altogether it was one of the most successful and enjoyable evenings that the club has participated in, and that is saying a great deal. Mr. G. B. Perry presided in his usual able manner. Mr. Everard, of the G. W. Stevenson Co., is the new secretary of the ad. club, to succeed Mr. Shelly, who has accepted a new position in Toronto.

## THE LAW BREAKING FOREIGNER.

(Canadian Press Wire.)

Winnipeg, Man., March 17.—The spring Assizes opened here yesterday, and the Deforge murder will be the first placed before the grand jury. The three men charged with the murder, Elnick, Clements and Burdie, will be tried separately. Chief Justice Mathers, in addressing the grand jury, remarked on the fact that most of the indictments were against foreign-born citizens.

There is said to be luck in the left hind foot of a rabbit. At any rate, it shouldn't get in the soup.

## DEATHS.

BRANIGAN—At his late residence, 450 Main Street West, on Tuesday, March 16, 1920, George Branigan, beloved husband of Sarah Jackson, in his 72nd year.

Service at the above address, on Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Interment at Christ Church Cemetery, Bullock's Corners. (Motors.)

DOWLING—In this city, on Wednesday, March 17th, 1920, Mary Ann Dunn, widow of John Dowling, aged 83 years.

Funeral will leave late family residence, 19 Ferrie St. E., Saturday morning, at 8.30 to St. Lawrence Church. Interment at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. (Motors.)

GOWRIE—At her late residence, 27 Bold Street, on Monday, March 15th, 1920, Elizabeth Kennedy Scott, wife of David Gowrie, aged 82 years.

Funeral service (private) on Wednesday, at 4 p.m. The body will be sent via G.W. a.m., G. T. R. on Thursday, to Alliston, Ont., for interment.

HANLEY—Suddenly, at St. Joseph's Hospital, on Wednesday, March 17th, 1920, Martin Hanley, aged 77 years.

Funeral will leave the family residence, 111 Charlton Ave. E., Saturday morning, at 8.30 to St. Patrick's Church. Interment at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. (Motors.)

HEAD—After a lingering illness, Thomas Head passed away at his late residence, 156 Balsam avenue, on Tuesday, March 16, 1920, in his 60th year.

Funeral will take place from the above address, on Thursday, March 18, at 2.30, to Hamilton Cemetery. Flowers gratefully declined.

McGOWAN—On Monday, March 15th, 1920, at her late residence, 182 Stirton Street, Mary A. Holbein, beloved wife of James McGowan.

Funeral, Thursday morning, at 8.30, to St. Ann's Church, thence to Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. (Motors.)

TENNANT—Died at the residence of her brother, Dr. J. L. Addison, St. George, on Monday, March 15th, Mrs. Elizabeth Tennant, in her 74th year.

Funeral, on Thursday, March 18th, at 2 p.m., to St. George Cemetery.

WATTS—In this city, on Wednesday, March 16th, 1920, William James Watts, aged 69 years.

Funeral from his late residence 573 Mary St., on Friday, at 2.30 p.m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery.


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KIWANIS CLUB

John Firth Spoke on the Tailoring Business.

One of the occasional humorous hours was enjoyed by the members at the regular Kiwanis luncheon yesterday at the Royal Connaught, when about sixty members and guests helped to make this week's luncheon one of enjoyment to all present. The attendance prizes were donated by Kiwanians Joe Culley and Norman Firth, and won by Kiwanians F. F. Treleaven and Fred Garvin, the latter discovering the members present had the most benefit out of the prize.

The club was addressed by one of its own members, Kiwanian John Firth, his subject being "Some Phases of the Tailoring Business," and the club were considerably entertained on several lines which go to make up a successful tailoring business.

Mr. Firth displayed an ivory button, grown in Brazil, from which buttons are manufactured, and gave some illustrations of the buttons going through the several courses of manufacture. The speaker also had different samples of cloth, and gave an outline of the manufacture of woollens from the time the wool is secured from Australia, shipped to the woollen factories of England, and manufactured into the different grades of cloth for suitings, giving some explanations of the different class of materials, such as pure woollen goods, worsteds, shoddy goods, and cotton, and explained the reason the different grades do not stand the wear and tear that the pure woollen goods will, which under the present conditions, is somewhat difficult to procure. Kiwanian Firth also gave some of the causes for the present cost of materials requisite in the tailoring business, and informed the club that it was difficult for the manufacturers of woollen goods to accept large orders, owing to the difficulty they experience in getting stock enough ahead to supply the trade.

The remainder of the entertainment was created as the result of the attendance campaign, which will soon close, when the winners will be announced, and the losers forfeit the stakes, as agreed upon early in the year.

A report was given by Kiwanian John T. Truman of the meeting held in Toronto on Saturday last, by representatives of the different Kiwanis Clubs in Ontario, to map out the itinerary in connection with the International Convention, to be held at Portland, Oregon, in June, and the complete National account of the trip from Toronto to Portland, proved extremely interesting, and several members present intimated their intention of making arrangements to attend the convention.

"DRY" LAW FAILS.

Columbia, S.C., March 17.—Holding that the old statutes, under which the indictments were returned, had been repealed by the Volstead Act, Judge H. A. M. Smith, in the United States Court here yesterday, quashed more than fifty indictments for alleged violations of the prohibition laws. The charges are chiefly operation of illicit distilleries.

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